

ROUT ITALIANS IN EGYPT

UNOFFICIAL REPORT NEARLY 50,000 CAPTURED

Report Valona Is Being Evacuated By Italian Troops

Athens Reports 200 Italian
Officers And 7,000 Soldiers
Have Been Taken

VALONA IS UNDER HEAVY BOMBING

Violent Activity Along
Fronts In Albania Is Re-
port Of Greeks

By A. E. ANGELOPOULOS
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ATHENS, Dec. 14.—With 200 Italian officers and 7,000 soldiers captured in the Greek drive against the Fascist armies in Albania, Italian forces today were reported to be evacuating Valona, second biggest seaport in Albania and one of the last remaining bases for supplies from Italy.

Terrific Anglo-Greek aerial bombardment and the threat of advancing Greek troops from the south were said to have made Valona untenable as a major base for the Italians.

Meanwhile, some of the fiercest fighting of the war was said to be raging along the entire battlefield as the Italian armies sought to stem the Greek advance.

Despite stubborn Italian resistance, the victorious Greek warriors were intensifying the pressure of their advance, especially in the Klissou and Tepeleni areas.

The Italians also were reported to be evacuating supplies from the Chimara mountain region near the coast as a result of new Greek advances in that area.

Italian prisoners captured in the Chimara region were quoted as saying the Italian position there is precarious and it is questionable whether the Italian high command will be able to stabilize a new defense line.

With Greece's bayonet-swinging warriors driving against Elbasan, Berat, Kilsura, Tepeleni and Chimara, the Greek high command announced:

"There was violent activity by our troops in various parts of the front, with favorable results."

A preliminary survey of Italian (Continued On Page Two)

State Draft Quota For January Is 1,580

(International News Service)
HARRISBURG, Dec. 14.—Pennsylvania's 422 local draft boards today were notified by Gov. Arthur H. James that approximately 1,580 draftees will be called up next month from this state.

Within another 24 hours the local draft boards will receive from state headquarters a breakdown of the number of men each local board area will be required to provide.

Governor James disclosed that he had received from Major General W. S. Grant, commander of the third army corps area at Baltimore notice that "formal requisition for

January selective trainees will probably be delayed a few days pending further instructions from the war department." This delay is due to present to the lack of sufficient housing accommodations for trainees.

General Grant added, however, that "available data, at this time, indicates that requisitions when submitted will not exceed 1580 white."

"This information is furnished you," the governor was informed, "for planning purposes and with the thought that you probably would

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Funeral Service Sunday For British Ambassador

By EDWARD B. LOCKETT
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—No German raider will molest any American warship carrying the remains of Great Britain's Lord Lothian back to his native land.

This assurance was given today by the third officer of the famous world war German raider Emden, vice-admiral Robert Witthoef, now naval attaché to the German embassy in Washington.

"An American warship flying the stars and stripes will under no circumstances be molested by any part of the German armed forces," he said.

Will Rest At Arlington
The admiral's statement came as the question of conveying the late British ambassador's ashes to England aboard an American warship was left for President Roosevelt to settle. Until final disposition is made, the popular English diplomat will be accorded the unique honor of a resting place in this nation's national cemetery at Arlington, Va.

Both German and Italian diplomats (Continued On Page Five)

Duke And Duchess
Plan For Another
Longer U. S. Visit

Will Conclude Present Visit To
Miami Within Next
Few Days

(International News Service)
MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 14.—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor like their brief stay in Miami and are planning another trip to the United States.

Next time the world's most romantic couple will remain long, and see a great deal more of the country.

Today, with the duchess almost completely recovered from her dental operation, they were reluctantly making plans to sail for home—Nassau—in a day or two. But they'll be back.

The duke and duchess, it was reported, will check out of St. Francis hospital today and move over to the Miami Biltmore hotel in Coral Gables where they spent the week-end.

When the former king of the British empire flew to sea yesterday in a U. S. navy bombing plane and chatted nearly three hours with President Roosevelt aboard the U. S. S. Tuscaloosa somewhere in the Bahamas waters, he talked to the president about America's C. C. C. camps and asked Mr. Roosevelt to arrange it so he could visit a few of the camps "sometime after the first of the year." The president promised he would.

Olivia De Havilland
Flown To Hollywood
To Have Operation

(International News Service)
HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14.—Olivia De Havilland, stricken film star, was rushed to a hospital for an appendicitis operation immediately upon her arrival here early today by chartered plane from Santa Fe, N. M.

She arrived at Union Air Terminal at 5:15 a. m. and an ambulance took her direct to Good Samaritan hospital. Her condition was described as "good."

The actress was taken ill late last night at the New Mexico city where she had gone for the world premiere of her latest picture.

Army Reserves Called To Duty

About 28,000 To Enter Active
Service By Next
February 15

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—All members of the regular army reserve jobs were ordered to report for active duty by next February 15, by the war department today.

There are 28,739 men in the regular reserve, and officials estimated that almost all of them are available for active service.

The new group was called up to aid in training selective service recruits the department said. The step was taken because delay in calling up the national guard has necessitated getting more trained soldiers in uniform to keep pace with the draft program.

Exact dates on which the reservists must report for duty will be left up to the corps area commanders and will be announced later. The regular army reserves is composed of enlisted men who have completed a term of service in the regular army.

Sites Selected For Ordnance Plants Of Navy

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The navy today announced selection of sites for four huge naval ordnance plants, to cost approximately \$34,800,000.

Sites selected were:
In the vicinity of Canton, O., a \$16,000,000 plant to employ approximately 2000 persons;

In the vicinity of Detroit, Mich., \$12,000,000, to employ 3600;

At Indianapolis, Ind., \$6,000,000, to employ 2500;

At Macon, Ga., \$800,000, to employ 250.

Contracts for the construction of these plants will be awarded later.

Man Badly Hurt
When Hit By Auto

George Edvokemoss Of Youngstown Road, Suffers Fracture Of Skull

George Edvokemoss, aged 45, who resides at Castleview Cabins, on the Youngstown road, suffered a fracture of the skull, and other injuries shortly after 6 o'clock, Friday evening, when struck by an automobile driven by John Rape, of Edensburg, on Route 422, about a mile west of the city limits.

According to Mr. Rape, he was driving west on 422, when Edvokemoss, who was walking along the highway stepped in front of his car. He was unable to avoid hitting the man.

Edvokemoss was removed to the Jameson Memorial hospital, where it was stated this morning that his condition is serious. He is employed as coal miner for the Harbor Coal Company.

Laval Removed From His Post

(International News Service)
VICHY, Dec. 14.—Vice Premier Pierre Laval of France was removed from the French government by Marshal Henri Philippe Petain today in a vitally important cabinet change.

Laval was replaced as vice premier by Pierre Eleune Flandin, former French finance minister and a well-known rightist.

No change in France's foreign policy is expected.

British Liner Is Torpedoed

Radio Message Says S. S.
Western Prince It At-
tacked Off Ireland

HAD BEEN CARRYING
REFUGEES TO U. S.

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The S. S. Western Prince, British refugee liner called one of the pluckiest ships in the wartime trans-Atlantic service, was torpedoed by the Germans early today.

The Western Prince was the second important sea casualty from Nazi attack reported in two days. Yesterday, Norway's largest passenger ship, the 18,673-ton Oslofjord, was reported sunk. The Western Prince sailed from here December 6.

300 Miles Off Ireland
Position of the Western Prince, whose appeal for help was picked (Continued On Page Two)

Italy Is Sending Reinforcements To Albania Daily

(International News Service)
ROME, Dec. 14.—Italy is sending as many as 4000 troop reinforcements to Albania every day, and it was revealed today, this extremely important task is under the personal supervision of Crown Prince Umberto.

Umberto, prince of Piedmont, thus has broken out of royal obscurity and now is taking such a leading part in the Albanian campaign that he towers over most other military leaders in prestige as much as he actually does in physical height.

As heir to the throne of his father, King Victor Emmanuel, "Il Principe," the "little prince," is too important a figure to risk on the battlefield, however. He did not go to Ethiopia or Spain, and now his work also keeps him away from Albania.

Sawmill Run
Boulevard May
Now Be Extended

(International News Service)
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 14.—State and local city-county engineers were in agreement today that the \$1,000,000 project to extend Sawmill Run boulevard to the north side west end bridge should be launched in 1941.

E. L. Schmidt, state highways department district engineer conferred with county and city engineers late yesterday, then announced that the state's plans for relieving the west end traffic bottleneck were satisfactory to local authorities.

Noted Football
Official Dies

(International News Service)
COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 14.—Dr. Earl P. Maxwell, 51, of Columbus, nationally-known football official, was dead today of a heart ailment.

Maxwell was stricken suddenly last night while driving his car and died before reaching a hospital.

He played center and guard for the Ohio State university football team in 1911-12-13 and officiated in Western Conference and important interscholastic games for 25 years before retiring because of ill health.

Speculate On Future
War Trend For Italy

By CHARLES A. SMITH
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Mentioned For Lothian's Post



ANTHONY EDEN



DUKE OF WINDSOR



NEVILLE BUTLER



LORD BEAVERBROOK

The sudden death of Lord Lothian, British ambassador to the United States, immediately started speculation concerning his successor in what has become the most important British diplomatic post in the world. Pending nomination of the envoy, Neville Montagu Butler, counselor of the British embassy in Washington, will act as charge d'affaires. Among those mentioned in London diplomatic circles as possible candidates for the ambassadorship are the Duke of Windsor, civil governor of the Bahamas, who is now in the United States with his wife, Lord Beaverbrook, newspaper publisher and now minister for aviation production in the British cabinet, and Anthony Eden, war minister.

Move To "Check-Up" On Defense Program Spreads

By WILLIAM S. NEAL
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The rapidly-developing congressional movement to set up a joint fiscal committee and another joint committee to check-up on progress of the defense program gained headway today.

Republican House Leader Joseph Martin endorsed both proposals. At the same time Sen. Byrd (D) Va., reported that an increasing number of senators have volunteered support of his proposal for a joint defense investigating committee.

"The country undoubtedly favors giving every dollar that is needed (Continued On Page Two)

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Hoboken Plant Is Destroyed By Fire

(International News Service)
HOBOKEN, N. J., Dec. 14.—A disastrous fire, blamed on a short-circuit, today caused one death and damage estimated at \$1,000,000 to the Condenser Service and Engineering company plant halting work on defense production orders.

George Jacob, 65, of Jersey City, a watchman, was burned to death when trapped in a storeroom. Four other employees fled to safety.

The balance of 100 skilled workmen in the plant, a black-square brick structure were ordered out.

President Near End Of Sea Trip

Will Reach Charleston To-
day And Go To Warm
Springs, Georgia

HAS CONFERENCE
ON SHIP WITH DUKE

(International News Service)
ABOARD U. S. S. TUSCALOOSA, En Route To Charleston, S. C., Dec. 14.—Terminating a 10-day, 4,000 mile West Indies defense cruise, President Roosevelt today steamed toward Charleston navy yard aboard the cruiser Tuscaloosa, and was scheduled to entrain this afternoon for Warm Springs, Ga.

The Tuscaloosa departed from Eleuthera Island yesterday afternoon after the president had conferred for three hours with the Duke of Windsor over proposed American defense bases in the Bahamas, which the Duke governs as representative of the empire he once ruled. The Duke promised cooperation in establishing the bases.

Duke Flies Back
Immediately after the conference, the Duke boarded a United States naval plane and flew back to Miami, where the Duchess of Windsor is recovering from a major dental operation.

The luncheon conference with the Duke brought the defense cruise to a close and Mr. Roosevelt expressed himself satisfied in the main with the bases acquired from Great Britain in return for 50 destroyers.

The president was expected to arrive in Warm Springs early tomorrow morning and depart late the same day in order to arrive home in Washington on Monday.

Discuss Economic Questions
Of the president's conference with the Duke it was said that in addition to defense questions, economic matters were discussed. The Duke was described as also keenly interested in the United States civilian conservation corps, with the possibility that he would inaugurate modified CCC camps in the Bahamas.

The Duke gave the president a parting promise that he would again visit the United States shortly after New Year's and make a personal study of the C. C. C. He said he had asked the president to give him a letter of introduction to the proper person after he had discussed the matter with the executive council in the Bahamas.

Deny Hitler Will
Meet Mussolini

(International News Service)
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—Disclosing that Chancellor Hitler and Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop have left Berlin, Wilhelmstrasse authorities today branded rumors of an early meeting between Hitler and Premier Mussolini "without foundation."

At noon a foreign office spokesman declared the trip has "no political meaning whatsoever."

Editor's Note: Yesterday there were reports of a meeting between Hitler and Premier Mussolini, but there was no official confirmation of this from the German capital.

(Hitler and Il Duce last met in Florence Oct. 28 when Italy launched her campaign against Greece.)

Aircraft Carrier
Reported Damaged

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A "heavily damaged" British aircraft carrier docked at Gibraltar late last night according to a German radio broadcast picked up today by CBS in New York.

The broadcast, based on a Spanish news agency report, said the aircraft carrier was accompanied by three British cruisers.

British Troops Pushing Italians Back Into Libya

Drive Against Duce's Forces
In Egypt Takes On Pro-
portions Of Rout

BRITISH MAY HAVE
CROSSED FRONTIER

Huge Number Of Prisoners
Continues To Mount
Steadily, Cairo Reports

By W. P. SAPHIRE
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Correspondent

CAIRO, Dec. 14.—With captured Italian troops now unofficially estimated to total between 40,000 and 50,000, Great Britain's empire army today continued to chase Premier Mussolini's Fascist legions across the desert sands of Egypt back into Libya.

British military headquarters officially stated the Italian retreat had developed into a rout along the Libyan frontier.

The official communique said: "In the western desert our advance forces continue to press back the enemy, who is endeavoring to stem the tide of their rout on and about the Libyan frontier."

26,000 Prisoners
"Clearance of the vast battlefield continues. The number of prisoners is mounting steadily. It is estimated that some 26,000 prisoners now are in our hands, together with guns, tanks and large quantities of equipment of all kinds."

"Our harassing activities along the Sudan frontier continue unabated."

As the Italian forces retreated along the coastal road in the vicinity of Sollum, they were subjected to a terrific bombardment by the 15-inch shells of Britain's mighty warships standing off the shore.

One unconfirmed report had the Italians evacuating Fort Capuzzo, one of their chief bases on the Libyan side of the frontier.

May Have Crossed Frontier
Whether this meant British forces (Continued On Page Two)

Hear Reports Of Naval Battle

(International News Service)
BUDAPEST, Dec. 14.—Rumors that a naval battle was fought all day yesterday in the Adriatic off the coast of Albania. At the Yugoslavian port of Dobrovnik, the Yugoslavians said, it was stated that heavy firing was heard off shore and that a Yugoslavian military plane reported sighting large oil slicks on the sea.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The London Daily Telegraph published rumors that British warships attacked Italian troop transports in the Adriatic off the coast of Albania. At the Yugoslavian port of Dobrovnik, the Yugoslavians said, it was stated that heavy firing was heard off shore and that a Yugoslavian military plane reported sighting large oil slicks on the sea.

In Budapest it was reported that British naval units may have slipped into the Adriatic—Italy's lake—to attack Italian warships and cut sea communications between Italy and Albania.

Arthur Mometer

I need a sock, a good sized sock, about a yard or two in length, with lots of room to hold the things and likewise it must have some strength. For Christmas Eve I'll hang it up and hope that Santa does his stuff, and what he brings is what I want, and what I get will be enough. But I imagine it will take a sock that's long and wide to do, to hold the stuff I hope I get, the weather's bright and forty two.

DEATH RECORD
Saturday, December 14, 1940

Andrew Hoke, 78, 214 Cottage street.

Michael Pazo, Sr., 72, 2 Cliff street.

John Jacob Pifer, 75, Wurtemburg

PA NEW C OBSERVES



Today marks the end of the deer hunting season for the present year.

Employees of the New Castle Water Company are laying new lines between the curb and pavement, on Court street. Connections into the homes on the street are also being replaced with copper pipe.

Christmas lighting arrangements are beginning to appear in homes in New Castle and vicinity. Especially noticeable are the early decorations in homes in the country districts.

On the Westminster college campus, a lighted Christmas tree is already in evidence.

Alderman John T. Brinton, of East New Castle, states that Michigan "mule" deer were shipped by (Continued On Page Two)

Daily Weather
Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today are as follows:

Maximum temperature, 36.
Minimum temperature, 20.
No precipitation.

Statistics for the same date a year ago, follow:

Maximum temperature, 51.
Minimum temperature, 35.
Precipitation, 22 inches, rain and snow.

Bad Weather Halts Nazi Raiders

Bombing Lull Over Britain

Few Minor Attacks On East Coast Are Made During Night

LONDON ENJOYS NIGHT OF QUIET

(International News Service)
LONDON, Dec. 14.—Save for minor bombing attacks on England's east coast, German raiders reduced their activity over Britain to a minimum during the night, London authorities said today.
Bad weather was believed responsible for the easing of the attacks, which Thursday night brought destruction and death to the northern industrial city of Sheffield.
London enjoyed one of its rare nights of peace and quiet.
An air ministry communiqué stated:
"There was little enemy activity last night. Some damage was done at a few points along the east coast and a small number of persons were injured."
British bombers, however, spent a busy night, despite the weather. An official announcement on their activities stated:
"Last night R. A. F. bombers attacked targets in northern Germany and enemy-occupied territory."

Yankee Clipper Completes Trip

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Gliding in to a pre-dawn landing on a lighted water runway, the Yankee Clipper today completed its trail-blazing round trip to San Juan harbor in Puerto Rico.
The Pan American Airways ship made the second non-stop leg of its flight in ten hours and 44 minutes, averaging exactly 150 miles an hour on the 1610-mile trip. Leaving New York last Wednesday, the Clipper averaged 145.5 miles an hour on the voyage down.
Capt. Audrey Durst and 26 others were aboard the four-engine craft, including J. E. Boudwin of the cab. Engineers pronounced the flight as satisfactory. The service to Puerto Rico is expected to become routine next year, facilitating new routes to South American points.

SPECULATE ON FUTURE WAR TREND FOR ITALY

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compelled to "move soon" if the Italian debacle in Egypt and Albania continues, since from a strategic point of view Germany could not afford to have the large British army in Egypt and the British fleet in the Mediterranean freed for other operations.
At the same time, it was felt Hitler is in a difficult position, since any German admission that Il Duce needs further assistance would bring further diplomatic injury to the Axis at the moment Hitler is trying to build up a belief, particularly in the Balkans, that the Axis is omnipotent.
With this in mind, authoritative London circles professed to be ignorant regarding reliability of reports that Hitler and Mussolini will hold a meeting. Likewise, they said, they had no information regarding the subject to be discussed. But they said:
"If the meeting is held, it will hardly prove cheerful or amusing, particularly for Il Duce."

A & P Super Market

36 South Mercer St.

- Large Pkg.
Rinso 2 for 33c
No. 1 Can Fruit
Cocktail 3 for 29c
Large Size
Lux Flakes 2 for 39c
Fresh Tub
Butter lb. 37c
Sunbrite
Gleaser 3 for 13c
125 Foot Roll
Wax Paper 2 for 25c
Large Can
Saniflush 17c
Kosher Dill qt. jar
Pickles 2 for 27c
Iona No. 21 can
Peaches 2 for 23c
No. 1 Large Size Country
Eggs doz. 29c
100-Lb. Bag
Scratch Feed . . \$1.73
100-Lb. Bag—16%
Dairy Feed . . . \$1.49
Return your empty feed bags and get 5c.
Notice! We Buy Fresh Country Eggs!

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR AMBASSADOR

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maats were left off the invitation list for the Lord Lothian funeral services by the American state department, at the request of the British embassy. All other diplomats will be invited to attend the funeral, to be held in Washington Cathedral at 2:30 p. m. Sunday.
Every honor the United States can extend will be tendered the dead British ambassador.
The body will leave the British embassy on a caisson Sunday at 2 p. m., and will be escorted to the Cathedral by a full squadron of cavalry. Seats in the Cathedral will be reserved for America's highest officials as well as those stationed in Washington to represent other lands.

Mrs. Roosevelt To Attend
Mrs. Roosevelt is expected to personally represent the president who will not be in Washington until Monday.
Bishop James E. Freeman of the Washington Episcopal Diocese, will conduct services. Afterwards, a private cremation service will be held in the church of Port Lincoln, just outside Washington.
On Monday, at noon, ashes of Lord Lothian will be received at Arlington national cemetery. With full military honors, they will be placed in the vault under the mast of the U. S. S. Maine, not far from the tomb of the unknown soldier, America's world war shrine.
Formal announcement said the remains would rest in Arlington for an indefinite period, "until arrangements can be made for final disposition."
At the state department it was explained that only President Roosevelt, as commander in chief of the Army and Navy, can order a warship to convey the Lothian ashes to England.
White House officials privately indicated an order for the Atlantic crossing would be dispatched by the president speedily upon his return to Washington on Monday.

BRITISH TROOPS PUSHING ITALIANS BACK INTO LIBYA

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had penetrated Libyan territory. However, military quarters said it was not unlikely that some of the advanced motorized units may have crossed the frontier as part of the encircling movement.
Scattered units of the defeated Italian garrison on the Egyptian frontier were reportedly threatened with encirclement in a mountain pass death trap west of Sollum.
Advancing British forces, according to the latest dispatches received in Cairo, gradually were forcing Premier Mussolini's fleeing troops into the pass, where it was expected they would either be forced to surrender or face annihilation.
British quarters in Cairo said they had been informed the casualties among the British and imperial troops pursuing the Italians were "very slight."
Official estimates said some 26,000 prisoners were now in British hands. Unofficial estimates 40,000 to 50,000.
On the other hand, it was estimated unofficially that between 40,000 and 50,000 Italian officers and men already have been captured. Two generals and "several thousand" troops and minor officers were among the captives, it was officially announced. Altogether five Italian generals, one of them a corps commander, have been taken by the British.
As the British offensive hurled thousands of Italians out of Egypt and threatened to develop into a counter-invasion of Libya, Italy's coastal bases at Bardia and Tobruk in Libya felt the fury of heavy British aerial bombardments that left blazing ruins.
Royal air force bombers blasted the harbors and other military nerve-centers in Libya, including at least 12 airbases.
They were supported by British warships which threw 15-inch shells into the Italian bases and at the retreating columns, while the R. A. F. bombers left flames that shot 1,000 feet into the air above Bardia and dumped many tons of explosives on the town and port facilities of Tobruk.

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WEEKLY LETTER

The Castleton, Monday, December 16, 1940.
12:15 to 1:30 P. M.
Fellow Rotarian:
We will again be favored with the a Capella choir of the Senior High school under the direction of Prof. Robert A. Duff. This choir needs no introduction to our club and the mere announcement of its coming will insure a large turnout.
Dates set for the Institute of Instructional Understanding are January 16, 23, 30 and February 6, each lecture on Thursday evening.
Makers uppers are Jack Huston at New Wilmington, Harold McCulloch at Chicago.
CARL PAISLEY, Secretary.
Card Of Thanks
We wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who, in any way helped to lighten our great sorrow in the passing of our beloved husband and father, George Stamata.
MRS. GEORGE STAMATA AND FAMILY.
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8 MORE DAYS TO SHOP
and to
Buy the CHRISTMAS SEALS

Little children are not safe from tuberculosis. It takes more very young lives than either diphtheria or scarlet fever.

Mrs. Weller Gets Many Messages Of Congratulation

Beautiful Bouquets Of Flowers Also Sent To Her On 100th Birthday

With all her family gathered about her, Mrs. Lavenia M. Weller, of 202 North Jefferson street, enjoyed a dinner-party Friday that quietly, but appropriately, marked her 100th birthday anniversary.
For the occasion Mrs. Weller wore two gardenia corsages, not being a bit content with one. The house was banked with beautiful flowers, sent by Mrs. Weller's many friends and acquaintances. Three of the bouquets were gifts from Mrs. Weller's home church in Pittsburgh.
Center of attention during the day was a huge tiered cake, holding 100 lighted candles. There were several other cakes on the table, all gifts of friends.
Coming here from Chicago, Ill., in a special Pennsylvania railroad car, were Mrs. Weller's two sons, James and John, and members of their families. The private car was that of James Weller, who was traffic manager for the Pennsylvania railroad, with offices in Chicago, until his retirement a few years ago.
All day on Friday messenger boys made repeated trips to the Weller home to deliver telegrams of congratulation from nearly a hundred friends.
When the day drew near an end, and it was time for Mrs. Weller to retire, she refused the aid offered to her in going to her room, and showing that she is not as old as people think, mounted the stairs without trouble.

Lightning Starts Spectacular Fire

Four Men Are Reported As Badly Burned In Texas Conflagration

(International News Service)
TEXAS CITY, Tex., Dec. 14.—Four men were reported in critical condition today and at least a dozen were less seriously burned in a spectacular fire which began when lightning struck a 65,000-gallon tank of crude oil at the Southport Petroleum Co.
The lightning bolt struck yesterday. A crew of 25 men was engaged in throwing up earthen barriers to prevent the fire from spreading when flaming oil boiled over, burning most of the workers before they could escape.
While the burned men were being rushed to hospitals at Galveston and other nearby cities, the fire spread to two other storage tanks—one of 12,000 gallons and another of 10,000 gallons. The company has huge quantities of oil stored in between 35 and 40 tanks at the location.
Two of the men reported near death were identified as Joe Treadway and Arthur Taylor, both of Texas City. The other two were not immediately identified.

Captain Mitchell To Leave Tonight

Instead of leaving Friday evening for Harrisburg and from there to Fort Bragg, North Carolina, Capt. George F. Mitchell of local Battery F, will leave this evening at 9:30 o'clock by Penna Railroad train, direct for Fort Bragg. When getting into his automobile with his wife, at his home, to proceed to the train Friday evening, they heard the house phone ringing. Going back, a message was received from headquarters at Harrisburg, changing the orders to Captain Mitchell.

RINASCENZA LODGE
There will be election of officers at the Rinascenza lodge meeting, No. 19, Order of the Italian Sons and Daughters of America, Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, in their club rooms, 812 Morton street.

★ ★ ★
★ THE ★
★ NEWS BOY, ★
★ WARM OR COLD, ★
★ SUNSHINE OR RAIN, ★
★ DELIVERS YOUR NEWS, ★
★ MAKE HIM HAPPY AT ★
THIS ★
TIME ★
BY PAYING YOUR ★
ACCOUNT IN FULL ★

Deaths of the Day

Andrew Hoke.
Complications following an illness of two months duration resulted in the death of Andrew Hoke, aged 78, of 214 Cottage street, a well known New Castle barber. He passed away at his home this morning at 12:35 o'clock.
Mr. Hoke, born November 2, 1862, in Germany, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoke, was the last surviving member of his family. Fifty-five years ago, on July 4, 1885, he was married to Harriett Roberts Hoke, who survives him. He was a faithful member of the First Methodist church.
Mr. Hoke was well liked and most popular here, having been a downtown barber in this city for about 60 years. He had been located in the Mercer street shop of Louis Klee for the past 25 years. Formerly, he was associated with the John Cox barber shop, the George Brown shop and the Craig Henrich shop.
Surviving in addition to his wife are two sons, John W. of this city and Raymond H. of Youngstown, O. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Jos. S. Rice company chapel, East North street, with Rev. W. V. McLean, pastor of the First Methodist church, in charge, assisted by Rev. Norris A. White. Interment will be in Oak Park cemetery.
Friends may call at the funeral chapel any time and the family will receive them Sunday evening from 7 until 9 o'clock.

John Jacob Pifer.
John Jacob Pifer, aged 75, passed away at his home in Wurttemberg on Friday morning at 11:40 o'clock, death being caused by complications following a long illness.
Mr. Pifer was a pensioner of the National Tube company, Ellwood City, where he was formerly employed as a foreman.
Surviving are his wife, Della M. Pifer; two children, Mrs. George Wallis of Ellwood City and Leroy Pifer at home; one sister, Mrs. Lottie McDunna of Zellenopolis, one son, Michael Pifer, of Ellwood City, and four grandchildren, Ethel Mae, Bobby and Virginia Wallis and Carol Mae Pifer.
Funeral services will be held from the late home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Locust Grove cemetery.

Michael Pazo, Sr.
Michael Pazo, Sr., aged 72, of 2 Cliff street, passed away at his home Friday night at 11:30 o'clock.
Mr. Pazo was born in Czechoslovakia in 1868, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pazo. He was a faithful member of St. Nicholas Greek Catholic church. For the past 15 years, he had been retired.
Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Mary Pazo; two sons, Michael, Jr., John; three daughters, Mrs. Anna Hodak of Byersdale, Pa., Mrs. Anna Pich, this city and ten grandchildren.
Funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home with further services at 9 o'clock in St. Nicholas Greek Catholic church with the pastor Rev. Fr. Philip Grushetzyk, in charge. Interment will be in St. Nicholas cemetery.

Robinson Funeral.
Funeral services for Miss Grace Robinson, 602 Taylor street, were held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from the home of her sister, Mrs. Lee Carlson, 1313 Albert street. Rev. W. A. Thornton pastor of Epworth Methodist church was in charge, assisted by Rev. Wilson Reid pastor of Harbor U. P. church.
During the services, two selections were sung by Mrs. Martha Shaw.
Palbearers were Harry, Audley and Walter Robinson, John and Walter Thomas and Charles Taylor.
Interment was in King's Chapel cemetery.

Mrs. Bracken Funeral Time
Funeral services for Mrs. Roama Smith Bracken will be conducted Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence of J. Ed Bracken, Volant R. D. 1, with Rev. J. Charles Paul, pastor of the Mercer U. P. church, officiating. Interment will be in Jackson Center cemetery.

Dampier Funeral.
Short services for William J. S. Dampier, 1508 1/2 Hamilton street, were conducted from the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with further services at 2:30 in the Maitland Memorial Primitive Methodist church.

Rev. W. C. Tyrell of Youngstown former pastor of Maitland church, was in charge, assisted by Rev. J. A. Tinker, the present pastor, and Capt. Carl Andersen, of the Salvation Army. Rev. Tinker led the congregation in singing three hymns, accompanied by Mrs. J. McKenzie.
Palbearers were Messrs. H. Ashton, J. Wilson Mockett, J. Howard, Brookmockett and T. Phelps.
Interment was in Oak Park cemetery.

Indians Will Pay Tribute To Late Judge Dickinson

(International News Service)
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Tribute will be paid Monday by a group of Mohawk Indians to one of Uncle Sam's jurists who nobly upheld "The white man's burden" 13 years ago.
The jurist is the late Judge Oliver B. Dickinson, who ruled in the case of Paul Day, full-blooded Indian and native Canadian arrested under the immigration laws. Judge Dickinson decided that Indians were "continental American citizens" and needed no visas.
In the place of their deceased benefactor, the visiting Mohawks will honor Municipal Judge Adrian Bonnelly, who represented Day without fee and was later made a citizen and presented with a \$1,000 full-fledged Indian costume.

Duke Of Windsor To Get Unusual Christmas Gift

(International News Service)
MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 14.—The Duke of Windsor will get an odd Christmas gift from the Duchess this year.
The Duke recently purchased a barber chair to be installed in government house, his official residence in Nassau, for his own personal use.
So the Duchess today decided that among her gifts to her husband, would be—a barber pole.

BRITISH LINER IS TORPEDOED

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up by Mackay Radio here as relayed by the Port Patrick, Scotland, wireless station, was given as approximately 300 miles off Ireland.
The message heard by Mackay read:
"S. S. S. S. . . . torpedoed . . . 59.32 north . . . 17.47 west . . . Western Prince."
The series of letters "S", radio people explained, stands for "attacked and torpedoed", but does not specify whether the attack is by an enemy cruiser or from a submarine.
If any other British ship was near the Western Prince, radio officials said, they apparently did not make their presence known via wireless, afraid that they, too, might be subjected to German attack.

Made Many Crossings
The Western Prince, owned by the Furness Line, was a 10,926-ton vessel built in 1929 in Scotland for the New York-South America freight trade. Shortly after war was declared the ship was converted into a passenger liner and put into service carrying evacuees, mostly women and children, from England to Canada and this country.

Her last visit here, the seventh successful crossing, was made on November 22 under the command of Captain John Reed. At that time the ship carried 500 refugees.
The ship was heavily camouflaged in war paint of buff and black. She usually carried two guns at the stern for protection against submarines.
But Capt. Reed's greatest fear, as he said the last time he was here, was not of torpedoes. He feared planes most.
"The danger these days," he said, "is from overhead."

MOVE TO "CHECK-UP" ON DEFENSE PROGRAM

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for defense but would like to see the money prudently expended," said Martin. "I'd be inclined to favor creation of a committee to check up on progress of the program."
Similarly, Martin said, congress would find a joint senate-house fiscal committee, which would survey the financial problems of the government, of tremendous value. He voices skepticism over the administration's proposal to cut non-defense spending.
"They won't cut down," he said. "We have that little sermon every year, and we're spending more than the year before."

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PA NEW OBSERVES

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the game authorities of that state, ten or twelve years ago, to this state. They were in payment for a supply of ringneck pheasants, some time previously shipped from this state to Michigan. Those deer shipped to Huntington county were lighter in weight than those to Jefferson and Warren counties. This specimen of deer, the deer will range in weight from 100 to 180 pounds in weight, and the bucks, as high as 200 pounds.
Large holiday shopping crowds are noted in the stores of New Castle today. Christmas shopping is increasing with a rush, as it is discovered that there are only eight more shipping days before December 25. New Castle stores will be open tonight.
Pa. News chanced to make a trip over the New Highway from New

REPORT VALONA IS BEING EVACUATED BY ITALIAN TROOPS

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losses said 200 officers and 7,000 Italian soldiers have been captured and that this count did not include those yet to be tabulated.
A partial inventory of material showed the Greeks have seized at least 120 heavy artillery guns, 55 anti-tank guns and anti-aircraft weapons, "thousands" of machine guns, some tanks, 250 trucks, 1,500 bicycles and motorcycles along with munitions in large quantities.
Latest reports to Athens said the Hellenic offensive was developing rapidly with both frontal and flanking attacks in the snow-covered mountains, and that the Fascist strongholds at Elbasan and Berat were seriously threatened.
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The Music Club Chorus of one hundred voices, will present "The Messiah" Sunday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, in the First Methodist church.

Mrs. W. J. Caldwell, the director, has trained the group very thoroughly, and a finished presentation of this magnificent and Christmas oratorio will be the result.

The program is open to the public, and from all indications, a large attendance, is going to witness one of the most enjoyable musical events of the season.

Assisting as soloists, are Margaret Williams, soprano; Helen Felch, contralto; David Jones, tenor; and Samuel McCleary, bass. Mrs. Richard K. Allen will play the accompaniment and Edwin Lewis, the organ.

Ushers will be the Misses Katherine Bittner, Ruth Drescher and Virginia Woods; Mrs. Glenn McCracken, Mrs. Russell Muder; Mrs. Jay L. Reed, Mrs. D. Duff Scott and Mrs. Dorothy Gormley Smith.

MRS. J. NORMAN MARTIN RECEIVES SPOON CLUB

In the North Mercer street home of Mrs. J. Norman Martin, members of the Luncheon Spoon Club were graciously received on Friday evening by Mrs. S. C. Rumbaugh of Windber, Pa., sharing as a special guest.

After the serving of a palatable menu at 1 o'clock, bridge was enjoyed in the afternoon with prizes going to Mrs. Edward Beadel and Mrs. Edna Ueber.

Arrangements for the next meeting will be announced.

Gowanda Club Hostess
Members of the Gowanda club will meet Tuesday, in the home of Mrs. T. M. Shaffer, Euclid avenue.

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BESSEMER WOMAN'S YULE PROGRAM TUESDAY

Bessemer Woman's club members, are eagerly awaiting their meeting scheduled for Tuesday evening, December 17, which will take place in the Bessemer Presbyterian church, at 8 o'clock. An entertaining Yuletide program has been planned for this date, with the chorus group under the direction of Mrs. Ray Woodburn, and pianist, Mrs. Ivan Carlson, contributing several features, at intervals, in addition to a pageant, entitled "Christmas Around the World" which is an original, planned by Miss Frances Fullerton. The program is outlined as follows:

In the pageant, heralds will be Leonard Anderson and Harold Heard who will play "O Come All Ye Faithful." A play, "The Hanging of the Green," will be portrayed by Mrs. Ralph Throop as Mother Kindheart; Mrs. Verlin Stearns as Hospitality; chorus professional "Dock the Halls," will be followed by Mrs. Wilbur Miller, narrator, who will give the message, "Peace and Joy." Chorus, "Peace on Earth," will be followed by narrator giving the "Legend from Russia of Babouska," with tableau Babouska by Esther Sandman, in the lead, while the Three Kings will be portrayed by Miss Mary Nort, Miss Alma Adams and Miss Mary Haig; chorus, "Circus," will be followed by narrator, "Tale of the Yule Log," Chorus, "A Joyous Christmas Song," narrator, Polish custom of the "Vigil" of the Star Supper and "Still Grows the Evening Over Bethlehem Town." Narrator, "In Norway—Sweden" with tableau, Swedish children portrayed by Charlotte Anderson, Donna Flick and Wayne Henderson; "Czechoslovakia" (a) Shepherd, Junior Martin and Jack Hedegore; chorus, "Shepherds' Christmas" with Mrs. J. H. Martin, soloist; chorus, "Slumber Song of the Infant Jesus," Narrator, "And It Came To Pass," Chorus, "Sleep Holy Babe," Narrator, "Home" with angel, by Marcia Ann Nord and flag bearer by Robert Rowe; chorus, Slovak carols, "The First Night" and "Alleluia! Christ Is Born" with organ recessional by Mrs. Audley Snyder.

Miss Elizabeth Sellers, talented harpist of Youngstown, O., will play a group of Christmas numbers.

Mrs. T. Carlson, is chairman of the musical features.

MUSICAL PROGRAM IS ENJOYED BY CLASS

Members of the Married People's class of the Second U. P. church gathered in the church parlors, on Friday evening for their annual Christmas party and featuring was a most delightful musical program.

After a short business session Mrs. J. Elder Bryan presiding, Mrs. William McCormick introduced the following numbers: piano solo, Peggy Weir; vocal solo, Mrs. G. S. Hauserman; piano solo, Jane Bryan; vocal solo, Betty Smith and accordion solo, Donald Howard.

Tasty refreshments were served at an appropriate hour by Mrs. E. H. English, Mrs. Mary Beatty and Mrs. T. A. Johnson.

On January 10 the class will meet in the church for their next gathering.

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HOLMES BIBLE CLASS HAS SEASONS PARTY

Holmes Bible class, Central Presbyterian church, gathered in the church dining room for their meeting and chicken dinner in observance of their attendance record contest, last night.

Guests, numbering 45, were served at tables decorated in holiday attire. Mrs. John Atkinson and Mrs. Amy Patterson were in charge.

Group singing and the recitation of the special Prayer to Women, by Mary Stewart, featured the serving period. Lillian Donaldson and Mrs. M. Wooding had charge of the entertainment and informal contests were enjoyed.

Mrs. Frank Shergar read letters from Mrs. Wilson, a member spending the winter in Florida, and from Mrs. Bishard, staying in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Special recognition was paid to the following members for their work in the recent contest: Elizabeth Brewster, Maude Mitchell, Blanche Bright, Marjorie McCandless, Margaret and Edna Pringle, Viola Evans, Mrs. Sara Fisher, Mrs. Benjamin Jenkins, Mrs. Paul Friend, Mrs. Frank Shergar, Mrs. W. J. Holmes, Mrs. J. L. Maxwell and Mrs. J. Stickle. Special guests were Mrs. R. M. Patterson and Mrs. Thomas Byers.

Brisco Club
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P. E. O. SISTERHOOD HAS HOLIDAY PARTY

Associates of the P. E. O. Sisterhood gathered in a downtown tea room Friday evening at 6:30 for a turkey dinner after which they adjourned to the home of Miss Helen Moseley on Leasure avenue.

Miss Nannie Mitchell presided at the business meeting at which time, Mrs. I. M. Henley gave an interesting report of the recent federation meeting.

The customary Christmas bazaar and auction took place with Mrs. R. Frederick Roberts serving as a most excellent auctioneer.

On December 27 the group will meet with definite plans to be announced later.

CHRISTMAS PARTY OF RAINBOW BOARD

Meeting in the home of Mrs. L. A. Wygan, of Wilmington avenue, members of the Rainbow Advisory Board enjoyed their annual Christmas party. Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeArment and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Templeton were associate hosts and hostesses.

A business session was presided over by Mrs. F. F. Urey.

Mrs. John H. Templeton reported on the Christmas dance, arrangements for which have been completed. This will take place on the evening of December 26, in the Crystal Ball Room of the Cathedral.

Mrs. William C. Whieldon, Mother's Advisor, outlined plans for the annual Christmas party of the Assembly, which will take place on December 18. Assisting the committee appointed by Worthy Advisor Miss Elaine Keeler, will be Mrs. M. Potter, Mrs. Howard Erwin, and Miss Martha Bigley from the board.

The Cynosom Council announced that six new members have been appointed to the board. They are: Mrs. E. C. Buzard, Mrs. W. P. Felch, Mrs. John P. Brinton, Miss Dorothy Young, Orville Potter, and Frank L. Doer. Five members were named as honorary members of the board.

They were: Russell C. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaughn, Mrs. Bessie Pitzer, and Mrs. R. L. Boyd.

After the business meeting, a delightful buffet supper was served by the hostesses, following a gift exchange and informal evening was enjoyed, with the husbands and wives of the board members as guests. Mrs. Victor Pate, of Baden, Pa., was a special guest.

The next meeting of the board will be on January 17, in the home of Mrs. Herbert W. French, of East Wallace avenue.

P. M. CLUB GATHERS AT SINGER RESIDENCE

Mrs. Fred Singer of Lutton street, received the P. M. club members in her home Thursday afternoon, for a social time, and a period of card playing featured the early hours.

Mrs. Stephen Homm and Mrs. Andrew Krestel won the honor prizes. In serving the repast, the hostesses were aided by her daughter, Anna Kathryn, who was a special guest, and Mrs. Lale Christie.

The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. Christie of East New Castle, the date to be decided, while on Wednesday, December 18, the group will motor to a suburban tea room, for a Christmas luncheon party.

Italian Women Party
Women's Society for Christian Service of the Italian Methodist church gathered in the church Friday evening for a Christmas party.

Mrs. N. DiLorenzo had charge. Mrs. P. P. Sulmonetti gave an enlightening message about Christmas. Mrs. E. DiFallo and Mrs. G. Matricardi gave the readings. Group singing of carols was also a feature.

Tasty refreshments were served and hostesses were Mrs. N. DiLorenzo, Mrs. R. Montozzi, Mrs. Matricardi and Mrs. N. Altobelli. Gifts were exchanged.

Plans were completed for packing Christmas baskets. The group will meet Monday evening, December 23, in the church for this purpose. The following were appointed to serve on a special committee: Mrs. F. DiVitto, Mrs. J. DiFallo, Mrs. L. Ciccone, Mrs. J. Giancola, Mrs. N. Altobelli and Mrs. D. Sylvester.

January 3, members will meet in the church.

Degree Of Honor
Degree of Honor team of the Protected Circle met Friday evening in the Modern Woodman's Hall, East Washington street, for their regular meeting with Mrs. Edna Rice in charge.

A class of five candidates was initiated into the order with Mrs. Marie Rockwell of Sharon, organizer, as special guest. Following, a social period ensued.

The next regular meeting will be December 27 in the Modern Woodman's Hall, in the form of a Christmas party with Mrs. Florence Gillespie, Mrs. Jones, and Mrs. Hanna Piper in charge.

Past Presidents
Past Presidents of the American Legion Auxiliary of the Perry S. Gaston Post Unit No. 343 met recently in the home of Mrs. Ira Miller, on Sampson street.

Plans were made for a tea, after which an exchange of gifts took place. At a later hour, the guests enjoyed a delicious lunch served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Albert Wilkins, co-hostess. The evening was spent in playing games and informal chat.

The next meeting will be in January, hostess to be announced.

Q. A. C. Club
Q. A. C. club members met Friday evening in the home of Mrs. James Flynn, Edison avenue, for their Christmas party.

Cards were featured and winners were Mrs. Frank Borio and Mrs. Ethel Murphy. Refreshments were served and the hostess was aided by her daughter, Barbara Lee. Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Junior C. T. P.
Members of the B. and O. Junior C. T. P. had a tureen dinner and Christmas party Friday evening in Orr's hall.

After the business session contests were enjoyed.

WOMAN'S CLUB PLANS YULETIDE ASSEMBLY

In keeping with the Christmas holiday season, the December meeting of the Woman's club will be appropriately festive in character and program, when its members gather at the Highland U. P. church, December 16, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. J. McIlvaine, chairman of the Fine Arts Department announces the appearance of the senior high school a capella choir in a group of the season's melodies with Robert Duff, directing. This high school unit has made an enviable record in the vicinity and its talent is much in demand.

The second part of the program has been arranged by the drama division of which Mrs. Numa Vidal is chairman. Following the custom of previous years, the story and symbolism of Christmas will be retold, this time in the unique manner of the expert story teller, Mrs. Renwick Miller, of Youngstown, O. youthful and popular book reviewer, who has won the enthusiasm of other groups in New Castle, will be presented for the first time to the Woman's club. Her individualistic style and realistic portrayal of characters are a particular delight to her hearers.

Hostesses for the day are Mrs. Earl Dufford and Mrs. William Kinard.

Mrs. John Elliott, president, has called a meeting of the executive board to precede the regular assembly.

VICTORY BIBLE CLASS YULE DINNER-ELECTION

A lovely party of Friday evening was held in St. John's Lutheran church, by members of the Victory Bible class, marked by serving of a delicious covered dish dinner at 6:30 o'clock.

The colorfully appointed tables, marked places for forty, the decorations being in the hands of Miss Helena Burkhardt. Miss Mary Riff, chairman of the program, took charge of the entertainment, and she was also responsible for the beautifully decorated setting. She told in her own way, a Christmas story, using a miniature "Whispering forest." The presentation was well given by candlelight. At the close, she presented the assemblage with the little trees and candy favors.

Preceding, the a Capella choir composed of Senior High school students, presented a group of Christmas Carols, under the direction of Miss Julia Johns, and their director, Robert A. Duff.

Miss Mary Good was in charge of the religious period, and she included in this feature, Christmas readings and Yule hymns.

Business was presided over by president, Mrs. Frank Wimer, with election of officers as follows: President, Mrs. G. R. Weber; vice president, Mrs. Ida McBride; secretary, Miss Florence Mitchell; financial secretary, Mrs. William Mitchell; treasurer, Miss Stella Diefenderfer.

The group planned to distribute baskets at Christmas time to needy families, and in conclusion, gifts were exchanged among the membership.

Special guests in attendance, were Mrs. J. H. Miller, Miss Clara Albion, Mrs. Eva Wimer, Miss Lena Richards, Miss Helmi Pirkkala and Miss Jean Gavery.

The next meeting on January 3, will be at the home of Mrs. John Baer, Leasure avenue.

LEGION AUXILIARY YULE PARTY MONDAY

The American Legion Auxiliary of the Perry S. Gaston Post No. 343 will hold their annual Christmas party, Monday evening, in the American Legion Home with members and families as special guests. It will be in the form of a dinner, served at 6:30 o'clock followed by a program.

A Christmas treat will be given each child with Gold Star Mothers as special guests.

D. U. V. Tent 20

Daughters of Union Veterans Tent 20, will meet Monday evening for a Christmas party in the Trades Assembly hall, East Washington street at 8 o'clock. There will be an exchange of gifts.



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JUDGE BRAHAM WILL ADDRESS GUILD MONDAY

Hon. Judge Walter W. Braham will be heard Monday evening, December 16, as speaker at the meeting of the McIlvaine Guild of the First Presbyterian church, which will take place in the home of Mrs. Paul Wilson, 1412 Highland avenue. Mrs. Robert Gordon, Mrs. H. E. Lampe, Jr., and Mrs. Edward Rea, will serve as co-hostesses.

An interesting program has been arranged for this date, and a social period will also feature.

MOTHERS CLASS HAS YULETIDE ASSEMBLY

Mothers Class members of the First Methodist church, were received Friday evening in the home of Mrs. E. H. Gill, 701 Court street, for a delightfully planned Christmas assembly. An election of officers also featured, during the business procedure.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Ira Campbell, and she led the assemblage in singing Christmas carols. Mrs. Phoebe Patton read an appropriate poem entitled, "The Night Before Christmas" while Mrs. George Stoddard gave a reading, "A Bitter, Cold Afternoon in December." Mrs. J. C. Pershon, conducted the religious hour.

Plans were completed for the packing of Christmas baskets to be given to needy families at Christmas time, and also, a donation will be given the ladies of the Almira Home.

Election of officers resulted as follows: president, Mrs. C. C. Reed; vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Louer; secretary, Mrs. W. A. Myers; treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Withers.

Aiding Mrs. Gill with the social period, which concluded festivities, included a group of four, Mrs. C. B. George, Mrs. W. C. Mayberry, Mrs. B. J. Hoover and Mrs. David Taylor.

MACON BRIDGE CLUB HAS YULETIDE PARTY

Macon Bridge club members held their annual Yuletide party in the form of a chicken dinner at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening at a prominent tea room.

At the appointed time the guests enjoyed a delicious menu at prettily appointed tables, after which exchange of gifts took place. Bridge provided the pastime with high score awards going to Mrs. Cecelia Young, Mrs. Harry Reynolds and Mrs. John Sweet captured the gallop.

In two weeks, Mrs. Charles Covert will be hostess to the group at her home on East Washington street.

B. P. W. CLUB WILL HAVE PARTY MONDAY

The annual festival and Christmas party of the B. P. W. will be held Monday evening in the Y. W. C. A. with Ethel B. Hunt and her social service committee, and Mrs. Mildred Henderson and the music committee in charge.

Dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock and members are requested to bring toys or money which will be distributed to needy children after the meeting.

W. A. C. Members Party

W. A. C. class members, Wesley Methodist church, gathered for their Christmas party Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Walter Ames, on Knox avenue.

Contests were enjoyed. Special guests were Mrs. William Stoner and Mary Ferrell. Light refreshments were served and the hostess was aided by her daughters, Ruby and Dorothy.

Gifts were exchanged.

Mrs. Ruby Rote will entertain next in her home on Patterson avenue.

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At 6:30 o'clock, a chop suey dinner will be served, and following an informal social hour will ensue. A gift exchange will also be featured.

Mrs. Marie J. Metz is the general chairman for the event. Mrs. Martha Sullivan is the chairlady of the dining room, and she will be aided by Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Marie Jones and Mrs. Mary Brown. Mrs. Hazel Sewald is the kitchen chairlady and assisting are Mrs. Lucy Lemer, Mrs. Mary Geddis, Mrs. Anne Mulcahy and Mrs. Evelyn Woods.

FRIENDSHIP CLASS HAS YULETIDE PARTY

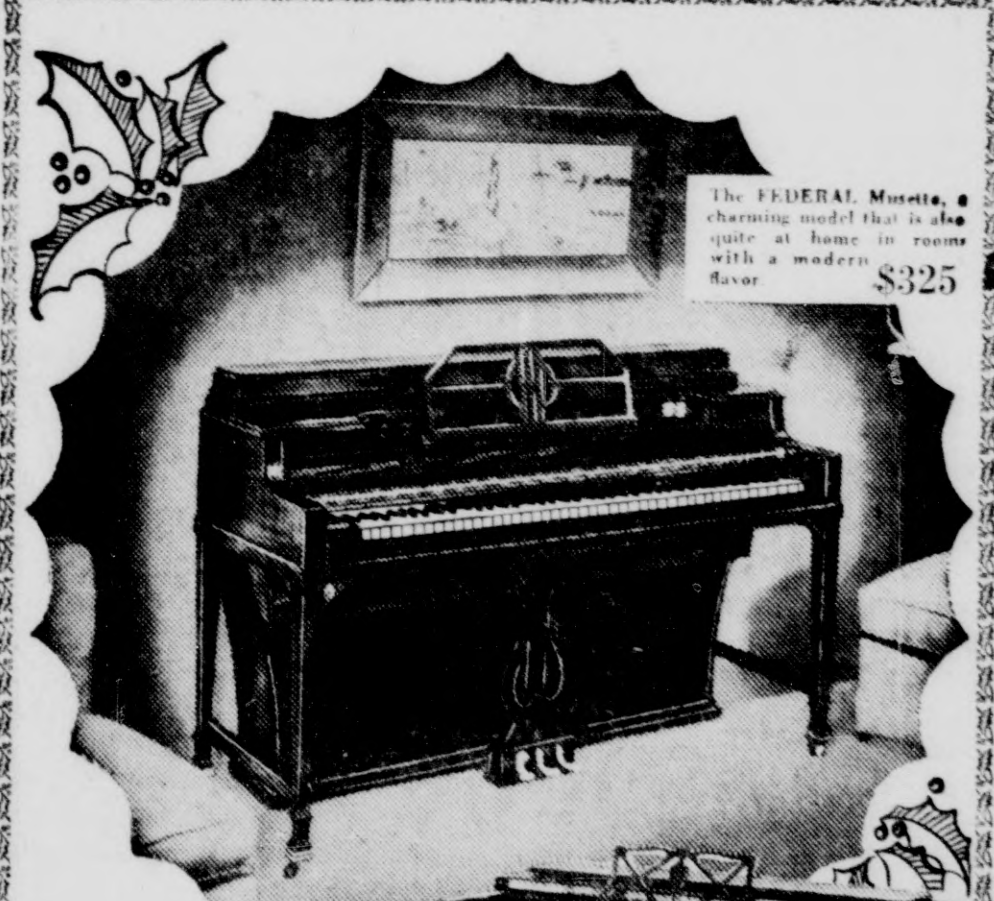
In the Harbor United Presbyterian church members of the Friendship class gathered Friday evening for their annual Christmas party, with 42 persons being present.

During the evening, games were enjoyed, and gifts were exchanged. Tasty refreshments were served by Mrs. Carl Rohrer, Mrs. Howard Cox, and Mrs. David Curtis.

On January 10 Mrs. Cox will receive the class in her home at the Harbor.

1919 Kensington

The 1919 Kensington membership will note their meeting next week will be held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Warren Starr on North street, and not Tuesday, the regular day.



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NOT BY BREAD ALONE

BELIEVE it or not, the average American has lived more comfortably the last ten years than any previous period of the country's history, according to Prof. Bernard Ostrolenk of the City College of New York. Offhand the statement sounds preposterous.

But, Dr. Ostrolenk cites consumption and service statistics to show that in 1939 the people of the country were better fed, better clothed, educated their young people better, traveled more, read more, smoked more and lived longer than ever before. Moreover, more young people married and more of their infants survived than ever before.

It is an interesting and arresting assertion. Naturally it invites the question as to what all the "Beefing" has been about. Dr. Ostrolenk himself supplies the answer. People are not happy when wholly dependent of public assistance, and without the security of income or employment "all this progress in supplying goods is tinsel." Wittingly or unwittingly, Dr. Ostrolenk emphasises anew the significance of the old apothegm that man does not live by bread alone.

Disregard of that fact in many relief programs that took account of physical needs alone now makes necessary the intensive and feverish effort to rehabilitate idle men as part of the national defense program.

WINDMILLS IN VERMONT

Up in the rock-ribbed hills of Republican Vermont an experiment is going forward—huge windmills are being erected to furnish auxiliary electric power. Four years of research are behind these windmills. Private capital is building them. The huge propeller blades which will presently catch the winds atop Grandpa's Knob are no New Deal fantasy. Hardheaded stalwarts are staking the dollars on the venture.

We do not know how the experiment will turn out. Perhaps the Vermont individuals will lose the money they are putting in the venture. Perhaps they are starting something a thousand others will one day copy. But one admires them for using the good old American way to find out the value of their ideas.

These Vermonters did not take their ideas to Washington as the basis of a "project." They did not look to Uncle Sam to do their experimenting for them. They took the direct way. With their own money they developed their plans. With their own money they will complete them—for profit or loss.—Milwaukee Journal.

INCOME AND REVENUE

In view of the rising national income, there is optimism in financial circles that the budget, while not in prospect of a balance, is not likely to get out of hand due to a great excess of expenditures over revenue.

Existing Federal tax rates—the highest in peacetime history—are as such as to yield six billions on a national income of seventy billion dollars, eight billions on a national income of eighty billion dollars, and more than ten and a half billions on a national income of ninety billion dollars.

The government estimates a national income this year of more than seventy-four billion dollars and next year one of nearly eighty-four billion dollars. Whether it will ever get to ninety billions is a question. But existing Federal tax rates will in all likelihood be raised in the next session of Congress so that even on a national income of eighty billions as much as ten billions in revenue may be realized.

Federal expenditures this fiscal year will approximate thirteen billions—five billions for defense and eight billions for non-defense purposes. The President announces that non-defense expenditures will be cut in the next fiscal year so that total expenditures may not rise much even with the sharp expansion of defense expenditures.

The nation is a reservoir of wealth and the government is tapping it on a progressive scale. If national income should continue high after the period of preparedness, it is plain that the present tax structure would yield literally billions for debt retirement.

NOW THE TOMMIES WON'T SHINE

The British Army has caught up, at long last, with the problem of glint and glitter. From remote times it was part of the swank of His Majesty's forces to keep everything shined up. The buttons, especially, had to glisten on the parade grounds or the luckless Tommy who forgot the daily shining stint landed in what was colloquially known as "the clink."

But now it has been discovered that glistening accoutrements are just pie for Nazi bombers, tipping them off to where British troops are located. As a result the order has gone forth to let all such material take on a dull finish and never mind the polishing.

The conservative Britons are a bit behind the American Army on this subject. Many years ago service uniforms lost their bright brass buttons and other sparkling characteristics in this country to avoid attracting the unfavorable and probably unfortunate attention of the enemy.

MOVING THE GOODS

The newspaper is more than a chronicler of the news. The newspaper's function as a mover of goods is also important.

Large retail merchandising outlets in the great cities show a health gain in business over this period last year. Week-by-week the figures tell this story of expanding distribution that ushers in eras of new prosperity.

However, the leading stores—the stores which show the greatest gain in sales will be the leading stores in a short period of time regardless of their present size—have not achieved this increase in business by a policy of watchful waiting.

They have emblazoned their messages on the pages of the newspapers. And the newspapers, as always, are moving the goods.

With the year fading our adversely, Mussolini must begin to have doubts about life beginning in '40 for him.

Norwegians are letting loose avalanches of rocks against railways and roads to block German military movements. The Norsemen have a faith in their country that moves mountains.

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The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

ASSIGN CHILDREN TO HOME TASKS

"Dear Dr. Myers: My health has not been good and I am so nervous. I find myself scolding my children. My husband is always telling me what they should be doing to help me. I was thinking last night in bed, 'What do they do?' and it came to me with a shock. Practically nothing. I have always done everything myself as that was the most easy way."

"I have two girls, 11 and 7, and a boy 9. Please send me a brief outline of what they should be expected to do."

How I answered her: "Dad is right in thinking that those children should be helping you but wrong in merely nagging you about it. What has he been doing these years to teach them to help you? Why has he not helped you train them in sharing home responsibilities?"

"As you say, it does seem easier right now to do everything yourself than to train them. But in the long run it won't be easier. If you work out a plan and stick to it, especially if Dad does his part, their training right now should not be so hard as your doing everything yourself."

Don't Expect Too Much

"Since they have not helped you all these years, don't expect them to do much right away. Cultivate such responsibility in them gradually."

"Check up on their self-reliance first and train them to do for themselves what they can do, such as washing and dressing themselves, tidying up their own rooms, cleaning up their own mess after making things, brushing their teeth, bringing themselves in from play at a regular automatic signal, sending themselves to bed at a regular designated hour, in accordance with their respective ages, and appearing promptly at meals washed and combed."

"Let each child at first have just a few regular jobs assigned, suitable to his age and experience. This job should come not only at a regular time each day but should be such that the child can do it well and know when it is finished. Don't expect the child to hang around just 'to help mother.' Budget each child's time for play as well as work. Although the eldest child will be able to do some things better than the younger ones, there is no reason to take account of sex difference. The boys can do practically anything the girls can do. While you should alternate jobs at certain intervals, don't assign two children at the same time on the same job, if you don't want to encourage quarreling."

"As each child volunteers to help at other things, express warm appreciation, so he will be more disposed to volunteer again. But don't make this volunteered job a regular assignment, else there hardly will be such cooperation henceforth. Also let each do some things that will make him feel grown-up, such as preparing a certain food, planning a menu, or doing the shopping alone."

"Gradually you will have more time to relax and to plan, as they do more of the work at home and you do less. Right now, let more things go and try to have more rest and relaxation."

Solving Parent Problems
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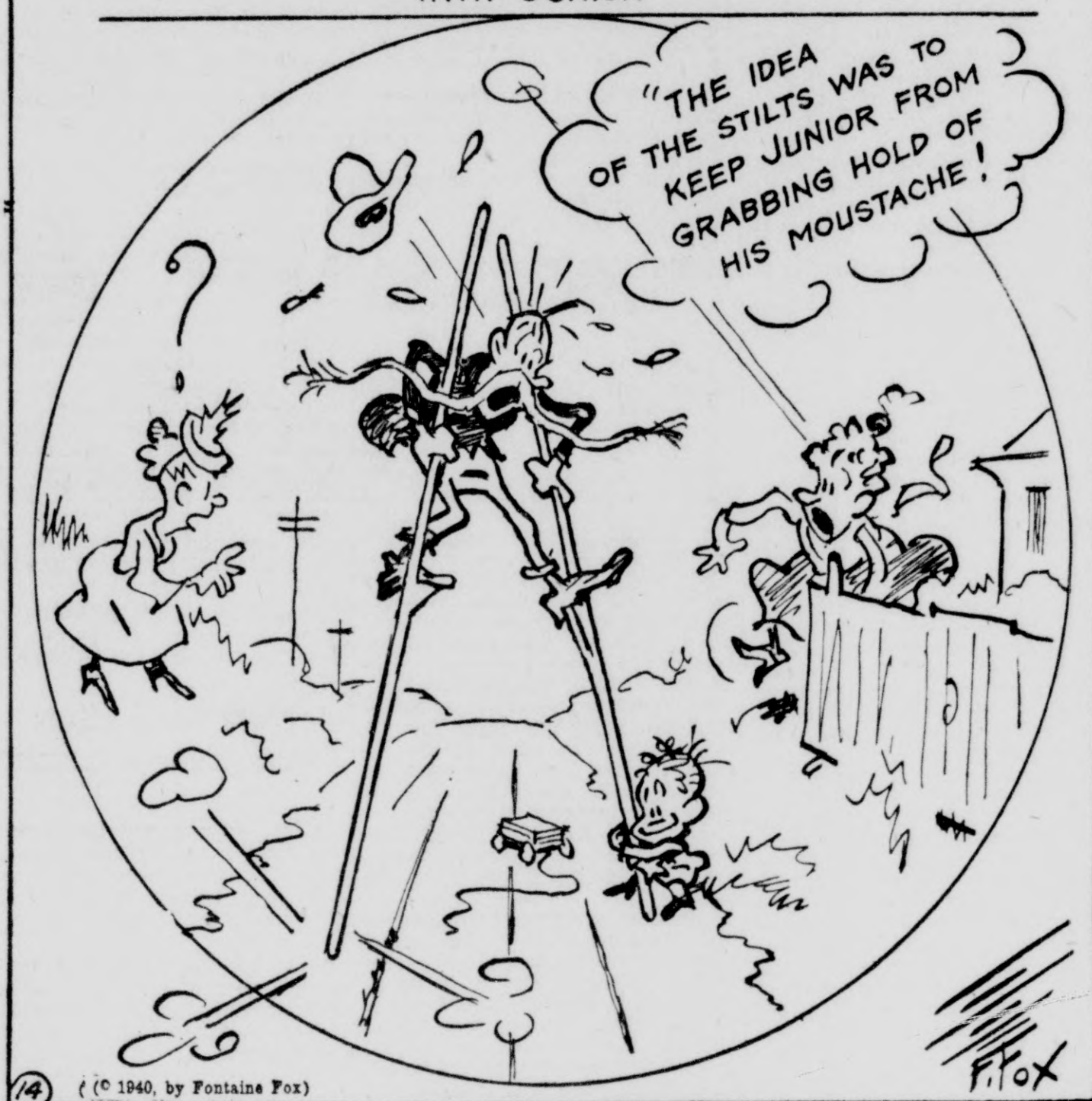
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Toonerville Folks

By FONTAINE FOX

UNCLE "HANDLE-BAR" HANK GOT SOME STILTS TO GO WALKING WITH JUNIOR



(C 1940, by Fontaine Fox)

HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 4:33. Sun rises tomorrow 7:11.

There are about ten radio repair shops in New Castle. How many of them do you know by name and where they are located?

Did you ever follow a gift to charity to find out what happened to it? Probably not, for few people do. You might be surprised if you did.

A city administration can make itself very popular by reducing the tax millage. Even those who do not pay their taxes like it because they will not owe so much.

Try this when climbing stairs: Breathe in as you start up. "If you can't manage a whole flight of stairs on one breath, stop while you exhale and then continue upward on the in-drawn breath," says our informant. "The inhalation seems literally to lift the body up the stairs."

NOT ENOUGH

She was grumbling about how small her allowance had been set. "A husband should give his wife all the money she needs to spend," she grumbled.

"Not a chance," said hubby. "There isn't that much money in the world."

Offer the fire engines make so much noise the alarm cannot be heard.

We heard two gals trying to make fun of this column yesterday. We try to make fun of it every day, but don't always succeed.

We heard a man say it was a hard job to buy Christmas gifts for people who do not need anything. Well, why not get them something they want?

A good place to practice patience is a cafeteria line—behind a couple "stouts" who are on a diet.

No wonder there are so many divorces. It's hardly to be expected that every one will be a success because so many inexperienced people go in for it.

One sign of a smart politician is that he will get next to himself before the voters get next to him.

We are running down a report that a six old youngster cried with fright recently when he saw a horse for the first time.

Now we are told tin is being imported to this country from England and Wales. Sumpin' wrong.

It is easier at this time of the year to love one's enemies just a little bit.

Orders have been given in Washington that members of the cabinet may travel in military and naval planes only on urgent government business. That ought to save the government a lot of money.

Even husbands behave better at Christmas time if the wives carry the pocketbook.

We were interested recently in a treatise on how trees live. In one place we noted that sap often travels at the pace of eight feet an hour.

We showed the note to John J. Observer.

"Interesting, of course," he said. "But I've seen lots faster. Just a few minutes ago a sap passed me on the road going at least 80 miles an hour."

He kissed you goodbye somewhat ardently," said the parent. "I just thought I'd let you know that kissing is a very good way to transmit germs."

"I certainly agree with you, father," said the girl. "I really can think of no more enjoyable way, either."

Congress is going to investigate the serious airplane accidents that have happened since last August. Maybe the congressmen are getting scared.

There are people old enough now who get a laugh out of the pictures they had taken of themselves when they were young.

Good Taste



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Labor will win this war, or lose it, and the sooner we face the truth, the better for all of us.

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He couldn't seem to make her understand what he wanted. First she asked why he wanted a gun brought out and who would think of asking for a gun. Finally he had an idea.

"Listen carefully," he said. "Bring me G as in James, U as in Europe and N as in pneumonia. Get it?"

In a few minutes the wife drove out with the gun.

HAD TO KNOW

The distinguished professor was making a trip by train and couldn't find his ticket when the conductor came around.

"But don't worry, professor," said the trainman. "I'll pick it up on my next round."

The ticket, however, still was missing on the conductor's next trip through the train, and the professor began to search frantically.

"Don't worry about it, sir," said the conductor, who knew the educator. "You can send it on to the railroad when you locate it."

"But I've got to find it," protested the professor. "I have to find out where I'm going."

There was a time in life when the loss of a button meant temporary loss of temper, but that was nothing compared with the stagnation of a vital zipper.

Boys will be boys and sometimes they make us laugh in serious moments. They tell of a mother who sent her small son for a switch with which he was to be whipped.

After a few minutes he returned and said: "I couldn't find a switch, but there is a rock you can throw at me."

NOT TO BLAME

"What the dickens is the matter with you?" roared a man as his wife finally appeared to keep the appointment. "Here I've been waiting like a fool for an hour."

"I'm sorry, dear," she replied sweetly. "I was unable to get here sooner, but really, I couldn't help how you waited."

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What's What At A Glance

"Good Risk" Remark Plagues Jones
British Spokesmen Not Optimistic
Loan To Argentine May Go For Trade

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Suppose congressional critics of our government's financing are suggesting—suppose that some individual, in desperate need of a very large sum of money, were to ask a friend to loan it to him, and the friend let him have it.

And suppose that the borrower, the worst of his difficulties over, failed to make even any instalment repayments, until finally the lender hinted that he'd like at least an occasional remittance on account. And suppose that the borrower thereupon replied: "Why, you darned old Shylock!" And suppose that the lender never did get back a single kopek.

Then suppose that the same borrower, becoming involved subsequently in a fresh financial jam, were to apply to the same lender for another huge loan. The congressional critics aforesaid agree that the chap so appealed to might have reasons for dishing the cash out to him, but would feel very hopeful of ever having it paid back again? "Would he," the critics query, "remark upon receiving his already defaulting debtor's application: 'I consider that guy a good risk?'"

When British Ambassador Lord Lothian recently returned to Washington from a visit in London with news that John Bull imperatively requires a new contribution from Uncle Samuel, even the presently most critical of our congressmen were prepared to admit that, considering today's world situation, maybe our best interests made it desirable for us to hand it over. But they say they certainly didn't expect Commerce Secretary and Federal Loan Administrator Jesse Jones to observe: "Well, it's a good risk."

Outright Gift?
Lord Lothian himself didn't argue that Britain's a "good risk." Neither did British Treasury Undersecretary Sir Frederick Phillips, when he, too, arrived in Washington to back up Lord Lothian's application. But his lordship and Sir Frederick rather plainly intimated that their country's after an outright present. And perhaps that would be worth while from Uncle Sam's standpoint. However, a good risk was what Jesse Jones called the proposition—distinctly implying that he thinks there's more than a fair chance that we'll get our dollars back if we ante them into the jackpot.

Moreover, Treasury Secretary Morgenthau underwrites Jesse's comment.

The impression I get from talks with plenty of Washington officials is that Jesse and Henry are the only pair who subscribe to the "good risk" idea. That Henry doesn't so general a surprise, for he doesn't widely rate as much of a businessman, anyway. Jesse's reputed to be exceedingly hard boiled, though. He astonished nearly everybody who knows him.

The question also is raised, "How are Jesse and Henry going to provide the credits Britain is seeking without the repeal of our Johnson and neutrality laws?" Their repeal is being urged, to be sure, but it's bound to be hotly contested.

True, the treasury does have available a \$200,000,000 stabilization fund, and scarcely anyone is sure exactly how far that fund can and can't be manipulated. Possibly Britain can be given the benefit of some of it, without calling it technically an extension of credit. But the trouble is that Britain won't be satisfied with a mere measly two billions. Either the Johnson and neutrality laws will have to be doctored or the stabilization fund will have to be greatly sweetened to meet John Bull's necessities.

Besides, the stabilization fund already has been considerably dipped into. Only the other day a deal was framed up to take \$50,000,000 out of it, as a credit to Argentina, and the Export-Import bank's to contribute a like amount—altogether \$100,000,000 to the southern republic.

Where Is Money Going?
But how can we be sure the Argentines won't spend this boodle in trade with other nations than our own? This question was asked of Secretary Morgenthau. His answer: "I don't know."

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THIS seems pretty small stuff to come from the victors, but it is typical of the attitude of some leading Administration figures. It is strange that, having beaten Mr. Wilkie, feeling against him should still be so bitter among his recent opponents. Apparently the explanation is in the size of the Wilkie

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The Great Game Of Politics

By FRANK R. KENT

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Very Small Stuff

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. AFTER the election there was, of course, a period of analysis and explanation. It was natural for the country to want to hear from the defeated candidate and for the defeated candidate to express himself. It was inevitable, too, that after so prolonged and bitter a campaign there should be some recriminations and repercussions.

CERTAIN starchy-eyed and impractical people think you can turn off popular emotion like you turn off water in a spigot and that political feeling can be regulated as you would a watch; which, of course, is ridiculous. Nevertheless, the national problems of the present are of such gravity that after a week of election aftermath there was a general disposition to say, "Let's put all that behind us now and get on with this defense job."

IT is an unpleasant but provable fact that standing in the way of both these things are the Administration politicians who were most active in the third term movement. It is they, for example, who oppose the reorganization of the Defense Commission along the tested and generally approved lines of the old Wilson War Industries Board, headed by Mr. B. M. Baruch. And it is they who are pushing with enthusiasm the proposed investigation into the expenditures of the last campaign, their idea being to show that the Republicans spent much more than the Democrats.

NO one should object to any investigation of campaign expenses. The public is entitled to the facts, and investigation—or the prospect of investigation—serves to check abuses and keep politicians reasonable and honest, both of which are eminently desirable. The point about this investigation is not that it is going to be made but that it is being



EPWORTH BIBLE GROUP HAS YULETIDE PARTY

Mrs. Albert Lusk of Leisure avenue, opened her home Friday, to the Woman's Bible Class of Epworth Methodist church, entertaining informally at a Christmas party.

The brief business period was in charge of the president, Mrs. Zola Dick, and following, Mrs. Mary Rowland presided during the religious period. Christmas readings were given by Miss Eva Donaldson, and a humorous selection was contributed by Mrs. Harry Marshall. Christmas games also occupied attention.

Mrs. Rowland presented their teacher, Mrs. J. H. Nelson with a lovely gift in behalf of the class, and a special feature, was a Christmas stocking, filled with miscellaneous gifts, which was given to the Rev. William Thornton, pastor.

A prettily appointed and tasty buffet lunch was served at a suitable hour, by a committee of four, including Mrs. George Weingartner, Mrs. Milo Calderwood, Eva Donaldson and Mrs. Albert Lusk. Special guests were the Rev. and Mrs. William Thornton and Mrs. Jennie Anderson.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. Calderwood and Miss Donaldson.

L. O. L. No. 129

Associates of the L. O. L. No. 129 held their Christmas party, Friday evening, in the Trades and Labor Assembly hall.

A social hour ensued for the members and friends, with cards and other diversions being held. Prizes were awarded to the winners.

Following the serving of a dainty repast, the group adjourned to meet again on Friday, December 27.

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HAPPY HOUR MEMBERS HAVE HOLIDAY PARTY

Happy Hour club members, enjoyed the gracious hospitality extended Friday evening in the Moore avenue home of Mrs. R. G. Leslie, who entertained at their annual Yuletide party.

Upon the arrival of everyone, a round of games, stunts and contests held sway, with Miss Elsie Brandon, Mrs. Thomas Keane, Mrs. Mary Anderson and Mrs. W. Graham winning the prizes. In the guessing feature, Miss Anna Ruth Snider and Keith McCaslin, were the fortunate prize winners.

A delicious holiday repast was served by the hostess as the concluding part of the entertainment, with Mrs. W. Graham, aiding. Appointments were in keeping with the season's suggestions.

On January 10, 1941, Mrs. Graham of South Lee avenue, will entertain.

ERNEST WORKERS HAVE YULE DINNER-ELECTION

Ernest Workers class of the Bethany Lutheran church, enjoyed a dinner gathering on Friday evening in the church assembly rooms, with an election of officers also taking place.

An informal program of entertainment was carried out, and during the routine period, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Clyde Turner; vice president, Mrs. Loretta Taylor; secretary, Miss Margaret Young; assistant secretary and press reporter, Mrs. Ruth Garbett; treasurer, Miss Laura Kaatz.

"Mystery Sisters" were revealed when the group exchanged holiday gifts, and following, a dainty repast was served, at a prettily decorated table.

NEW IDEA MEMBERS HOLIDAY GATHERING

New Ideal club members, were pleasantly entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Philip Winer, hostess, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Burkholder, Garfield avenue, at their annual Christmas party.

Bridge was the pastime, with Miss Mary Elizabeth Gibson and Mrs. Oscar Leonhardt winning the prizes. "Mystery Sisters" were revealed with an exchange of gifts, and new names were drawn.

Lunch was served by the hostess at the close and plans were made to meet Friday, January 10, with Miss Gibson, Pine street.

Monday

Jameson-Shenango, nurses home.

B. F. W. Y. W. C. A.

F. O. F. Mrs. Frank Bower, Euclid avenue.

R. A. W. Anna Conti, Home street.

What's Trump, Castleton.

Stitch-A-Bit, tea room.

C. B. Mrs. Amy Wink, hostess.

Round-Up, Mrs. Jennie Bullano, hostess.

Wimmore, Mrs. E. McConaghy, McClary avenue.

Marcin, Mrs. Louis McClary, Boyles avenue.

La-Ka-Cha-Do, Mary Sansone, South Jefferson street.

Madhatters, Mrs. Charles Lees, Hillcrest avenue.

True Blue Class

Associates of the True Blue class of the Third United Presbyterian church will have their Christmas party at the home of Viola Munnell, of the Butler road, Monday evening, with Dorothy Martin and Edith McNichol as co-hostesses.

Will Have Party

Members of the Fidelity Com-

panions will have a Christmas party, Sunday evening, in the home of Mrs. Carmen Peccaro, DuShane street.

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FORMER CHURCH CHOIR AT EDMUNDSON HOME

Former members of the Young People's Choir of the First Baptist church honored Mr. and Mrs. Garth Edmundson when they gathered in their home on Wallace avenue, Friday evening, for a holiday party.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmundson, choir director and organist of the group, extended gracious hospitality to the assemblage, entertaining informally with a program of contests, games and stunts. The awards were carried off by Elizabeth Williams, Robert Kames, Helen Love and Winifred Herbert. "Uncle Jim's Question Bee" was conducted by Delbert Fletcher.

The general committee in charge of arrangements, composed of Sara Dandy, Virginia Callahan, Helen Love, Delbert Fletcher and Betty Francis.

A feature of the evening was the presenting of a beautiful gift to Mr. and Mrs. Edmundson, which was cleverly carried out by Miss Callahan.

Amidst a beautiful Yuletide setting, the group enjoyed a delicious holiday lunch, served to upwards of 30.

DOUBLE SHOWER IS GIVEN ON FRIDAY

In a downtown tea room Friday evening the girls of the office force of the Shenango Pottery honored two of their number, Mrs. Trevor Williams, nee Florence Snyder, a bride of recent date, and Dorothy Boughter, who will become the bride of Glenn Reno on New Year's Day.

Lovely gifts were presented to the honored guests after a delicious menu was served and the girls had their annual exchange of gifts.

Hours were enjoyed in cards and games with prizes going to Jean Bloomer and Jean Pugh. The door prize was captured by Betty Boughter.

F. G. C. CLUB ANNUAL CHRISTMASTIDE PARTY

Their annual Christmas party was held Friday evening, when members of the F. G. C. club gathered for their regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Alfred Robbins, North Walnut street.

Sewing and knitting provided the pastimes after which exchange of Christmas gifts between members took place. Special prize of the evening was awarded to Mrs. Paul Jones. Following, a delicious lunch was served at a prettily appointed table by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Paul Jones.

In two weeks, Mrs. William Glitch will be hostess to the group at her home on Falls street.

B. W. R. Club

Members of the B. W. R. club held a Christmas party on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Minnie Ellgass, North Jefferson street.

Dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock and a gift exchange was featured. Mrs. E. M. Johnston was awarded the club token and later the group enjoyed contests and sewing as pastimes.

Mrs. William Guy of Sharon and Miss Miller were special guests. After the holiday season the club will have a dinner-party in a downtown tea room.

Mabel Wilson Lodge

Members of the Mabel Wilson lodge No. 567 held a tureen dinner and Christmas party on Wednesday evening in the Eagles hall, South Jefferson street.

Twenty-five members were present, and at 6 o'clock dinner was served. Gifts were exchanged and contests were enjoyed. Mrs. Margaret Hogan was the chairman, and she was assisted by Mrs. Dorothy Harris, Mrs. Viola Evans, Mrs. Pearl Taylor, Mrs. Mina McCombs, Mrs. Gladys Biller, Mrs. Dorothy Simkins, Mrs. Helen McDevitt and George Emerick, counselor.

C. D. of A. Troop 6

C. D. of A. members of Troop 6, were entertained in the home of Madeline Claeila, 604 East Lutton street, on a recent evening.

Officers were elected: president, Jean Thomas; secretary and reporter, Mildred Felasco; treasurer, Anita Sacco. Contests were played, prizes going to Anita Sacco and Jean Thomas. Plans were made to fill a Christmas basket.

On January 2, the troop will have a skirt and sweater dance hop, at Orr's hall, with Madeline Claeila, as chairman. The next meeting will be with Mildred Felasco, of 103 Park avenue.

W. C. Club Meets

Mrs. Arthur Lang entertained members of the W. C. Club in her home at Highland Heights Friday evening, with Mrs. Anna Reed sharing as a special guest.

Hours were enjoyed in playing 500, with prizes going to Mrs. Merle Brooks, Mrs. Ernest Brooks and Mrs. Thomas West.

Mrs. Vivian Gordon assisted her mother in serving a delicious lunch, and plans were made for the annual Christmas party to be held in a suburban tea room on December 18, with the husbands sharing as special guests.

Birthday Party

Peggy Pattison was taken by complete surprise Friday evening when 21 girls gathered in her home on Court street in honor of her 21st birthday anniversary.

Hours were enjoyed in knitting and chat, and little Patty Jo Campbell, niece of the honoree, presented her with a lovely array of gifts from those present.

Tasty refreshments were served in the late evening by Mrs. R. H. Pattison and Mrs. Clarence Campbell.

Castle Temple No. 37

Castle Temple No. 37 of the Pythian Sisters will have a tureen dinner at 6 o'clock in the Malta hall on Tuesday. The regular business session will follow the serving, and the remaining hours will be spent in a social manner, in observance of Christmas. "Sunshine sisters" will be revealed at this time.

Round-Up Club

Mrs. Jennie Bullano will entertain the Round-Up club members, Monday evening, in their club rooms, South Jefferson street.

Penna-Bu Lodge

Penna-Bu Lodge members will meet Tuesday afternoon December 17 in the home of Mrs. W. C. Powers, Mt. Jackson road. A luncheon will be served at 12:15.

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ORPHA SOCIETY HAS CHRISTMAS MEETING

Orpha Society members met in the parlors of the First Methodist church recently for Yuletide observance.

Joint singing of "Joy To The World" and "Little Town of Bethlehem" opened the program. Solos were offered by John Phillips, choosing "The First Noel" and "Silent Night" with Edwin Lewis, accompanist.

A tasty lunch was served afterwards. Hostesses in charge, included Mrs. W. A. Myers, Mrs. Phoebe Patton, Mrs. Charles Layton and Miss Cordelia Roberts.

The next gathering will be on January 9, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Harper, on Wallace avenue.

McGill Society

Members of the McGill Missionary Society of the Highland U. P. church will gather in the Albert street home of Thelma Merriels on Monday evening with Eleanor McDill as co-hostess.

Mrs. Fred Haltnorth will present the Christmas story being accompanied at the piano by Ann Kennedy.

Children's Party

Members of the Tigers Auxiliary will have a children's party, Monday evening in the Unione Calabro hall, with the following as hostesses, Mrs. Louis Ross, Mrs. William Cubellis and Mrs. Tony Mozzocco.

Penna-Bu Lodge

Penna-Bu Lodge members will meet Tuesday afternoon December 17 in the home of Mrs. W. C. Powers, Mt. Jackson road. A luncheon will be served at 12:15.

Red Cross Calendar

Red Cross work meetings for the purpose of making garments and knitting for war refugees are being conducted at the following places:

Falcon hall, Miller street—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday evenings, 7 to 11 o'clock.

Pulaski hall, Oakland avenue—Tuesday evening, 7 to 11 p. m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Central Presbyterian church—Tuesday, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Frew Furniture company—Monday, Wednesday and Friday 12 noon to 3 p. m.

New Wilmington, Wednesday afternoon from 1 to 4 p. m. in Municipal building.

Ellwood City—Municipal building, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Ellwood City College club—Thursday in the home of Mrs. Dale Mason.

Blue Triangle club—Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A.

Wampum—Thursday afternoon, City building.

Auxiliary to Post No. 522, V. F. W.—First and third Thursday at homes of members.

Energetic club—Tuesday evenings at the Y. W. C. A.

Croton Women—Every Thursday at Croton avenue school house.

Pennsylvania R. R. Auxiliary—Second Tuesday of each month.

Dr. T. J. McPate's Sunday school class—Monday evenings at 8 o'clock in Chapter House.

St. George Greek Orthodox church—Each afternoon and evening at Fountain Inn hotel.

East Brook high school—Tuesday afternoons.

Mahoningtown Community group

—Every Wednesday in Presbyterian church.

American Legion Auxiliary—Monday afternoons at Chapter House.

Johnson Bronze Girls club—Friday evenings at 8 o'clock in rooms across from Johnson Bronze plant.

M. C. O. Club

Helen Hoon entertained members of the M. C. O. club in her home on Walnut street Friday evening with cards being the chief diversion.

At the conclusion of play awards were presented to Mrs. Herman Domke and Mrs. H. M. Spiker.

Delicious refreshments were served at an appropriate hour by the hostess, assisted by her mother.

On December 27, Mrs. Frank Mele will receive the club in her Lutton street home.

Louis E. Simon, No. 11

Louis E. Simon No. 11, Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the Grand Army, will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening, December 17, at 7:30 o'clock in Modern Woodman hall.

The event will be in the form of a tureen dinner for members only, serving at 5:30 o'clock.

G. N. Club Meets

Mrs. Christina Lombardo will entertain the G. N. club at their annual Christmas party, Tuesday evening, December 17, in her home, East Lutton street.

Tuesday Kensington

Members of the Tuesday Kensington will meet on Wednesday of this week, with Mrs. J. Q. L. Roberts on Park avenue, for their regular session which is a change in the day.

Christmas Programs In Some Churches On Sunday

SUNDAY SERVICES IN CHURCHES OF COMMUNITY

Christian

ENON VALLEY—Rev. Robert Dyke, 10 a. m., Sunday school, C. W. Stewart, superintendent; 11 a. m., worship, "The Plague of the Soul," 8 p. m., worship, "A Symphonic Friend." Special music at both services.

CENTRAL—Thomas B. Shearer, pastor. Bible school at 9:45, Clifford Parks, superintendent; junior Christian Endeavor at 10:45, Ruth Garlity, superintendent; communion and sermon, 10:45, "Where Is He?" intermediate Christian Endeavor, 6:30; evening worship at 7:30, "The Message of the Angels." David Lewis, choir director, Clarence Frey, pianist.

FIRST—On the Square, Rev. G. S. Bennett, pastor; Bible school, 9:30; Henry MacNicholas, superintendent; morning worship and communion, 11:00 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 11:00 a. m.; Senior, 6:30 p. m.; Union service at First Methodist church, 7:30 p. m. Kathryn Allen, organist and director of music.

Methodist

FIRST—North Jefferson and North streets, Rev. W. V. McLean, minister. Church school, 9:45 a. m.; Junior Bright, superintendent; Walter W. Moody Bible class, Judge Walter Braham, teacher; morning service, 11 a. m.; "The Touchstone" Christmas music by choir; 7:15, tower chimes and organ preludes, compositions of Handel by Edwin Lewis, organist and director of music; following, "The Messiah," Handel's oratorio, by Music club chorus of 100 voices; Kathryn Nessel, soloist, pianist; Edwin Lewis, organist; soloists, Margaret Williams soprano, Helen Felch contralto, David Jones tenor and Samuel McCleary bass.

BETHLEHEM—M. E. 312 North Green street, Rev. J. H. Danridge, minister. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; H. Colman, superintendent; church school, 10:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; 3 p. m. stewards and stewaresses special service, Rev. Ernest E. Watson, Pittsburgh, speaker, president of state B. Y. P. U. of Baptist church convention; music by Bethel choir, Mrs. Callie M. Proffit in charge.

MAHONING—Madison and Cedar streets, David J. Blaisdell, minister, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Q. E. Davis, superintendent; 11 a. m., morning service, 6:45 p. m., Epworth League; 7:45, evening service.

ITALIAN—Corner South Mill and Phillips streets, Rev. Francesco P. Sulmonetti, pastor, 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., morning service, "The Only Hope," "Tragedy of an Ambitious Prince," 6:30 p. m., Epworth League devotion hour; 7:30, evening worship, "Big Thieves—The Gigantic Robbers."

HILLSVILLE ITALIAN—Rev. Francesco P. Sulmonetti, pastor, 3 p. m., worship, "God so loved the world that He gave—What have you given?"

GREENWOOD—G. Edward Shaffer, minister. Sunday school, 10 a. m., E. F. Shaffer, superintendent; morning worship, 11 a. m.; Epworth League service, 7 p. m.; evangelistic service, 7:45 p. m.

EDENBURG—Rev. John H. Gresh, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m., preaching service, 10 a. m.

HILLSVILLE—Rev. John H. Gresh, pastor. Church school, 10 a. m.; preaching service, 11:15 a. m.

NEW BEDFORD—Rev. John H. Gresh, pastor. Church school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching service, 9:15 a. m.

WESLEY—Junior Sunday school, 9:30, Peter Grizzle, Jr., superintendent; 10:30, father and son program followed by Junior Sunday school, Arthur Kegaris, superintendent; Epworth League at 6:30, Mary Spital, leader; preaching service at 7:30, J. G. Cousins, pastor.

ST. LUKE'S—M. E. ZION—119 Elm street, Rev. N. L. Meeks, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Mrs. Blanche Dillard, superintendent; "Overcoming our Handicaps," music by the senior choir, Mrs. Mary Webber, organist.

CROTON—J. A. Cousins, D. D., minister. Church school, 9:30, James Snow, superintendent, William Britton, teacher of the Men's Bible class; morning worship, 10:45, "The Uncontrollable Blessing," Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30, a sacred concert by the Ben Franklin chorus under the direction of Miss Gibbons. The junior church and nursery meet during the hour of morning worship.

EPWORTH—Church school, 9:45 a. m.; divine worship at 11 a. m., special Christmas music, sermon by Rev. William A. Thornton on "The Increase of His Kingdom," 4:30 p. m., vesper musicale presented by the Epworth choir; 6:30 p. m., Epworth League meet.

EAST BROOK—Rev. Abram P. Shaffer, pastor. Church school at 10 a. m., Omar Fink, superintendent; morning worship at 11; Epworth League at 7:30 p. m.

Baptist

FIRST BAPTIST—Sunday school at 9:30; morning worship at 11 o'clock, Dr. Frank Hollinshead, minister. Sermon, "Paul's Advice To Timothy," B. Y. P. U. at 6:15. Special service from 7 to 7:30 Sunday evening by the children of the Neighborhood House with Mrs. A. F. Zeigler in charge. Evening service at 7:30, sermon, "The Man Who Was Not Wanted."

ST. PAUL'S—Sunday school at 9:30. Mr. Holt superintendent; morning worship at 11 o'clock; evening worship at 7:30, Rev. Thomas speaker.

HUNGARIAN—Cunningham avenue, Paul Tarcy, minister, Michael Kovacs superintendent; Bible school, 9:30; prayer fellow ship, 10:00 Sunday school; 11, worship service, 7:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U., topic "The Source of Our Faith" 8 p. m. song and gospel service.

BETHLEHEM—Reynolds street, Sunday school at 9:30, Peter Hermann, superintendent; morning worship at 10:45, "The Corinthian Church," evening service at 7:30, Mrs. Comstock speaker, L. E. Bogle, pastor.

UNION BAPTIST—Rev. J. G. Stroughter, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 Mrs. C. M. Tyler, superintendent; morning worship at 11 o'clock, senior choir will sing at the Second Baptist church at 3 o'clock; prayer and praise service at 7:30.

SECOND—111 West North street, Rev. U. Munterlyn, minister; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Mrs. Sally Watkins, superintendent; preaching at 11 o'clock, subject, "Three Days in Hell," music by senior choir, Mrs. Addie Brown, director; afternoon service, 3 o'clock, pastor's aid featuring musical recital; evening service, 7 o'clock; preaching subject, "The Work of John the Baptist," music by senior choir; B. Y. P. U. president of B. Y. P. U. state convention of Pennsylvania, guest speaker, Romaine Derr, president.

WEST PITTSBURGH MISSION—Sunday school 3 p. m., Wm. Bowman superintendent; Mrs. William Bowman, pianist.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

SECOND—County Line and Milton street, J. Calvin Rose, pastor, 9:45 Sabbath school, C. M. McCosmick superintendent, Wylie McCaslin teacher of Mens Bible class, 11; morning worship, "The Only Hope," 6:45 Y. P. C. U. Evening worship, "The First M. E. church, 'The Messiah'."

SHENANGO—New Wilmington road, Rev. T. L. Patton, pastor; morning worship 9:45; Sabbath school 10:45 a. m. F. G. Seley, superintendent.

THIRD—Sunday school at 9:45, J. W. Rupert, superintendent; morning worship at 11 o'clock, "The Better Way," Junior Missionary at 2:30 and Y. P. C. U. at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m., "True Strength" Rev. C. R. Thayer of Saxenburg, Pa. guest minister, preaching as a candidate.

FIRST—Clenmore at Albert S. E. Irvine, pastor, Alan B. Davis, minister of music, F. D. Taylor, organist, 9:45 a. m. Bible school, James E. Chambers superintendent, 11 "No Room," 6:30 p. m. Young People's Services.

EAST BROOK—State road, Robert E. Douglas, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30, Neal Eddie, superintendent. Morning worship "Secure with Christ." Fellowship and pioneer services 7:45 p. m. leader Mr. Bowden.

NESHANNOCK—County Line Rd. at fair grounds, Robert Douglas, pastor. Morning worship 9:45; Sunday school 10:45 a. m., Mrs. Stewart, supt., Young people 7:45 guests of East Brook Y. P. (E. Brook church.)

HIGHLAND—Highland at Park avenue, D. L. Ferguson, pastor, 10 a. m. Bible school, F. L. Burton, superintendent; 11, morning worship, "The Revealer of Secrets," 11 a. m. junior church, with Mrs. T. J. McFate in charge; 6:45 p. m., Y. P. C. U. meeting; we will join in the union evening service at First Methodist church, Mrs. Jay L. Reed, organist; Robert A. Duff, minister of music.

Episcopal

TRINITY—Corner of North Mill and East Falls streets. The Rev. Philip C. Pearson, rector; Miss Isabel T. Johnson, organist. Tomorrow is the third Sunday in advent. Services 7:30 a. m., holy communion 9:30 a. m., church school, Guild room, 5th and higher grades; 11 a. m. church school, Guild room, kindergarten and primary grades; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon.

ST. ANDREW'S—550 East Long avenue, Charles J. Burton, pastor, Thomas J. Evans, choirmaster, Mrs. Ethel Evans organist. Third Sunday in Advent; (Stewardship Sunday) 8 a. m. choral holy communion, 10 a. m. church school, Jacob C. Heirick, superintendent; 6 p. m. Young People's Fellowship 7:30 p. m. choral evensong and sermon, topic "The Ministry and the Missionaries."

Missionary Alliance

THE GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE—210 Pearson street, J. H. Boon, pastor, 9:30, Bible school, Joe Masters, superintendent; 10:45, preaching, subject, "Abiding in Christ"; 6:30, Y. P. A. Harry Karns, president; 7:30, preaching, subject, "Names Written in Heaven."

PEOPLE'S MISSION—William Gamble, pastor. Sunday school, 2:30, Edward Doot, superintendent; Young People's meeting at 6:30; evening service at 7:30, "Who Will Stand the Test?"

News stories speak of "high circles in Vichy." How can anything under Hitler's heel be high?

Orthodox

ST. GEORGE GREEK—215 East Reynolds street. Services from 9:30 a. m. to 12 m.

ST. ELIAS SYRIAN—102 East Reynolds street. Services at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9. Bible school at 3.

Other Denominations

THE SALVATION ARMY—120 N. Jefferson street, Captain and Mrs. Carl Andreasen, officers-in-charge. Sunday school, 10 a. m., Helen Wansler, superintendent; 11 a. m., holiness meeting, Mrs. C. Andreasen, speaker; 6:30 p. m., Young People's Legion, leader, Richard Law; 7:30 p. m., open-air meeting; 8 p. m., salvation meeting, Captain Carl Andreasen, speaker.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL—Pearson and Epworth streets, Rev. A. Newton, pastor, Sunday school, 9:15 a. m., William Bender, superintendent; worship, 10:45 a. m.; evangelistic, 7:30 p. m., Rev. and Mrs. Richard Ruff, who are conducting special meetings, will sing and speak at both morning and evening services.

NAZARENE—D. R. Nuzum, pastor. Service Sunday morning, 11, combined service, sermon theme, "Remember Now Thy Creator, in the Days of Thy Youth." Sunday evening, 7:30, "The Second Coming of Jesus"; Sabath school hour, 9:30 a. m., L. G. Fryer in charge, lesson subject, "Jesus Teaches His Disciples to pray," Luke 11th Chapter; 6:30 p. m., N. Y. P. society, Mr. Connerly in charge of the service; 7:30, Wednesday evening, prayer and testimony; Friday evening, cottage prayer meeting.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL—East Reynolds street, Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., David Price, superintendent; morning service, 11, in charge of Sunday school group; senior Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m., m. Rev. Thomas Pollard, guest preacher.

MAITLAND MEMORIAL P. M.—South Mill and Maitland street, J. Albert Tinker, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., George L. Ashton, superintendent; 11 a. m., teaching service, subject, "Life in Him," 7:30 p. m., service, "Wasted Things." Young folks choir will take part in the service, duet by Miss Clara Mae Bowen and M. Poling.

UNITED BRETHREN—Homer Price, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30, Edward Searfoss, superintendent; morning worship, 10:30; Christian Endeavor, 6:30, Robert Lockhart, presiding; evening worship at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—334 East Moody avenue. Church services at 11 a. m. Sunday school convenes at 10:55 a. m., subject, "God the Preserver of Man." Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8 p. m., reading, room, 6th floor Greer Building, open daily except Sunday and holidays) from 12:30 to 4 p. m.

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN—Corner Oak and Pine streets, Norman F. Spear, minister. Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; Young People, 6:45 p. m.; evening worship, 7:45 p. m., studies in revelation.

CHURCH OF GOD—West Euclid avenue, Walter F. Ratcliff, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship at 11 a. m., subject, "What Jesus Can Do For You," evening service at 7:30, with special music.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—East Washington and Bedford street, H. J. Holly, minister. Bible study, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; and 7:30 p. m. by E. C. Kallenbach, of Moundsville, West Va.

SMITHFIELD CHURCH OF CHRIST—Bible school at 10 followed by morning worship at 11; no evening service.

ENON BIBLE PRESBYTERIAN—A. J. Koonce, minister. Sunday school, 10 a. m., W. D. Gibson, superintendent; morning worship, 11 o'clock, "Hindrances To The Christian Life: Worldliness."

BIBLE PRESBYTERIAN—Home of W. H. Butler, 911 Court street, A. J. Koonce, minister; evening service at 7:45, "Hindrances To The Christian Life: Worldliness."

ST. ELIZABETH—Moravia street, Rev. N. Kelley, pastor. Bishop Mack of Cincinnati will be guest speaker on Sunday.

NORTH SIDE COMMUNITY—Wilmington road at Euclid avenue, J. M. Cottrell, pastor. Bible school, 9:45 a. m., J. W. Miller, superintendent; preaching service at 11 o'clock, subject, "Jesus—the Way, the Truth, the Life," young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m., evening service, 7:30 o'clock, subject, "Scant Measure."

CALVARY GOSPEL TABERNACLE—Vogant street, East Side, Raymond J. Fredericks, pastor; A. H. Robb, Bible school superintendent; Francis Weir and Mrs. Harry Brunton, pianists; Mrs. Helen Anderson, orchestra director; Mrs. Gomer Emery, choir director. Bible school, 9:45; preaching service, 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "The Importance of the Passover Lamb and It's Blood," another in an Exodus series; young people's fellowship hour, 6:30 p. m.; evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m., sermon subject, "Christian Liberty," another in a Galatians series.

EMANUEL EVANGELICAL—Jefferson and South streets, C. W. Dietrich, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30, Russell Thompson, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45, subject, "A Ready Answer," E. L. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; evening service at 7:30, subject, "Life's Saturday Evening," Margaret Wedley, organist.

Cantata Will Be Presented Sunday

Special Program Sunday Afternoon At New Wilmington U. P. Church

(Special To The News)

NEW WILMINGTON, Dec. 14.—Under the direction of Robert Johnson, director of music of the high school, the United Presbyterian church will present "The Shepherd's Christmas" a cantata composed by Morten J. Luvaas, professor of music at Allegheny College. This presentation will be given on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the United Presbyterian church. The union services usually held each Sunday evening will be dispensed with.

Soloists included in this program are: Misses Elizabeth Rotzler, Catherine Gross, Elizabeth Gault, Mary Beth MacLaughry, Ruth Galbreath, Mary Kissick, and Elizabeth Hughes. Other members of the choir who will take part in the cantata are Betty Yahn, Betty Jane Hughes, Margaret Thompson, Marion Newton, Lois Guest, Margaret Orr, Anna Thompson, Ivan Yahn, Paul Jameson, John Galbreath, John Henry, Robert Gibson and Fulton Kissick.

Preceding the cantata Christmas carols will be sung by the choir.

Rev. P. C. Pearson Plans Address For Morning Service

The local branch of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church asked the Rev. Philip C. Pearson to give to the whole congregation an address on "The Convention," being an outline of the spirit of the organization at its triannual meeting, the character of its membership, its accomplishment, its educational work, its spiritual exercises and worship. In compliance with this request, he will do this at the 11 a. m. service in Trinity church tomorrow morning.

Dr. C. W. White At St. Paul's Church

The Rev. Charles W. White, D.D., will be the speaker at the English morning service at 10:40 a. m. in St. Paul's Lutheran church on Sunday morning at North Jefferson and Grand streets. Pastor White is the superintendent of the Orphans' home at Zellenople, and as a child was reared in this same home.

This home is supported by the Christmas offerings of the Sunday schools of the Pittsburgh Synod and such other gifts as may be made by the individuals or churches, but it is not on the synodical budget.

L. A. Haug of St. Paul's church, this city, is a member of the board of managers of this home, which has approximately 130 children in its care at present.

Rev. P. C. Pearson Will Speak Monday

At the regular meeting of the Ministerial Association on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Philip C. Pearson, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal Church, will be the speaker.

During his address, Rev. Pearson will give a report of the recent general convention of the Episcopal Church.

City Mission To Observe Special Service Program

Saturday evening at the City Rescue Mission and old-fashioned praise and testimony service will be held, with Superintendent Gibson in charge.

Beginning Sunday at 3 p. m. a live Sunday school will be in session, with classes for all. The children are preparing for the Christmas entertainment to be held on Monday, Dec. 23, at the mission. All children desiring to take part or to receive a treat from the mission must be present on Sunday.

The workers of the mission are busy repairing toys for the children. Anyone having any old toys please call 430 and someone will call for them.

Sunday evening an evangelistic service will be held, with the superintendent speaking. A special program of music has been arranged. Special services will begin on Dec. 29 with O. E. Williams' party, with Dr. Williams, Mrs. Williams, soloist, and Professor MacMurray, who is known throughout the country as a musical wizard. MacMurray was once a soloist with the famous Sousa band. All evening services begin at 8 o'clock.

The Great Game Of Politics

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vote, the aggressive character of his campaign, the closeness of the result. Most of all, there is the unforfeitable fact that, instead of being crushed and subdued, Mr. Wilkie, since the election, has indicated his purpose to continue his "crusade" and that in this he seems to have a large public support.

ALL of this is distasteful in the extreme to the New Deal politicians, and they are determined, if they can, to muss him and his campaign in a way to make both look less admirable than now. The idea of a defeated Wilkie emerging from the struggle with his prestige unimpaired and his support intact, cheerful, vibrant and determined to continue to play a part in public life, seems to irritate and subside. There has been much evidence of this fact, and not many days pass without some slur being aimed at Mr. Roosevelt's recent opponent by the inspired Administration journalists.

OF course, the investigation will show that the Republicans spent more than the Democrats out of funds collected directly from the citizens through national and local clubs. What it will not show is the degree to which the Roosevelt candidacy benefited from the Federal pay roll and the Treasury billions for relief, WPA, old-age assistance, defense, etc. When these things are considered, any fund the Republicans could have raised would seem inadequate. The truth is that the total money collected and spent by each side was too much, but there was no very great discrepancy between them. What the New Dealers really want is to lug before a committee some of the rich Wilkie supporters and cross-examine them like chicken thieves. It will not amount to much, but they are licking their chops in anticipation.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox is said to have received \$5 in payment for writing the poem containing the well-known lines "Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Special Programs At Epworth Church

Christmas Programs To Be Order Of Day At East Side Methodist Church

Christmas programs will be the order of the day on Sunday at Epworth Methodist church. Elaborate and tasteful decorations of light and color present a pleasing appearance and throw about the church the atmosphere and spirit of Christmas.

Christmas carols and anthems will be featured at the morning service at 11 o'clock and Rev. William A. Thornton will preach on "The Increase of His Kingdom."

Outstanding among the services of the day will be the vesper musicale at 4:30 p. m., when the Epworth choir will be augmented by some of the best musical talent of the city and the following program will be featured.

Organ prelude, "Christmas Eve," Malling. Hymn, "The First Nowell," congregation. Invocation, minister. Symphonic scripture reading, "The Visit of the Magi."

Rev. William A. Thornton, accompanied by organist.

Chorus, "Hark What Mean Those Holy Voices," Turner-Halley. Soloist, Mr. Russell Rhodes.

Piano selections: Valse in D flat, Valse in G flat, Black Key Etude, Chopin; Miss Lenore Pyle.

Chorus, "Seraphic Song," Anton Rubenstein, choral paraphrase, Samuel R. Gaines. Soloist, Lillian Andrews Buckner. Violinist, Vance Dufford. Piano, Lenore Ann Fry.

Offertory, "Ave Maria," Fr. Schubert. Piano and violin.

"Hungarian Fantasy," Liszt; organist, Mrs. Anna M. Pyle. Piano, Miss Lenore Pyle.

Chorus, "Lord We Adore Thee," James.

Benediction, pastoral and choral. Postlude, "Hallelujah Chorus," Handel.

Third Church To Hear Candidate

The Third U. P. congregation on the East Side will hear another candidate tomorrow, the candidate heard last Sunday having not received sufficient votes was eliminated.

The next man to be considered is Rev. C. R. Thayer, of Saxenburg, Pa. Rev. Thayer will use for his subject in the morning, "The Better Way." In the evening he will preach on "True Strength."

A large audience is expected to be present.

What's What At A Glance

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swer was that he has every confidence in the Buenos Aires government—is positive it will deal exclusively with us on our dough. But I have it directly from a Yankee businessman in the Argentine that they don't think so. Their complaint is that Washington's so preoccupied with matters elsewhere that their interests are being completely neglected—that Henry is just too glib to understand what he's talking about. Confidentially but reliably that's the state department's view likewise.

Jesse Jones' and Secretary Morgenthau's adverse congressional critics aren't all Republicans, either. Outstanding among them is Senator Robert A. Taft, who's a Republican alright, but another conspicuous one is Senator Bennett Champ Clark, decidedly a Democrat, though an anti-New Dealer.

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Mussolini Facing Crisis As Dictator

By J. C. OESTREICHER

International News Service Foreign Editor

Benito Juarez Mussolini, the prototype of all modern dictators, who once boasted that in fifty years the whole world will be a Fascist state, is faced with a crisis so grave and far-reaching that its outcome cannot be predicted.

Only a few hints have leaked out through the strict Italian censorship. But the Italian press is giving voice in a manner that has not before been heard in the eighteen years of Mussolini's rule. And a few scraps of information that have reached this country make it amply clear that Italy's reverses in Albania and Egypt are having the sharpest repercussions imaginable.

It would be foolhardy to say at the moment that the Fascist government is threatened and Mussolini's self-built throne of empire tottering. Even the most optimistic observers in London warn against predicting an Italian move for peace at the present time.

But when Roberto Farinacci, the "Goebbels" of Italy, openly attacks former chief of staff Marshal Pietro Badoglio and the Italian press invective against "traitors, defeatists, slackers and skeptics," no room is left for doubt that Il Duce is in trouble. Whether his personality and power are sufficient to dispose of it, only time can tell.

Tremendously significant was Farinacci's attack on Badoglio. He accused the distinguished marshal, bedmedaled hero and rallying point

of the Italian army, of lying and gossiping in clubs, salons and on hunting preserves, and of attempting to shift responsibility for his failures to the shoulders of Mussolini. Perhaps most important was the manner in which Badoglio allegedly placed where Badoglio allegedly is trying to excuse himself at Il Duce's expense. For "clubs, salons and hunting preserves has an aristocratic, almost royal ring."

And Badoglio has always been the "king's man"—the liaison between Mussolini and Victor Emmanuel.

Which brings to mind the role—or the lack of any role—that Crown Prince Umberto is playing in Italy's war. He ranked with Badoglio as one of the two commanders of the Italian army. He personally led the Italian troops which swept into France's Riviera and occupied Menton when Mussolini declared war this summer.

But nothing has been heard of him in the past few weeks or months. This may not mean anything. But it may mean a good deal. In any case, Rome will bear close watching.

Party For Children At Y.W.C.A. Sunday

Expect 136 Guests At Annual Party; School Children Will Present Program

Many little hearts are eagerly anticipating the Christmas party that will be given Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Y. W. C. A. clubs for 136 1B children from Lincoln-Garfield and Pollock schools.

All the Girl Reserve clubs, the Industrial and Business clubs of the Y. W. C. A. unite in developing plans for the party.

Although the "Y" clubs will sponsor the bringing of cheer to many little kiddies, they could not successfully accomplish so much without the aid given by Miss Janet

Brown and Miss Ruth Weir, teachers of the 1B's in Pollock school and Miss Mary Laughlin, Miss Mary Emery and Miss Lillie Savoline, teachers of the same grades in Lincoln-Garfield school.

The program is to be as follows: Lincoln-Garfield school: Recitations by Paul Shaffer, Joseph Malandro, Charles Nasir, Merle Allen and Sara Gregor; Talking Dolls by Gloria Senko, Dolores Vasilick, Loretta Yaro, Loretta Slofick, Rose Marie Newitz; song, Lucretia Pulenka and Betty Johns; and an exercise by Raymond Giangulli, Anthony D'Aguirre, and Richard Stokes.

Pollock school: Announcer, Judy Rozzi; a welcome exercise, Anita Angelucci and Vincent Scungio; recitations, Lucille Morgan, Walter Dixon, Mildred Scungio, Elizabeth Dellaverson; songs by Joseph Frenkel, Constance Conti, Ann and Joan Green, Angeline Esposito, also a series of songs by a group including Mary Lou Groucutt, Ida Circelli, Virginia Di Marzio, Sally Lou Johnson, Angela Fava, Lucille Palumbo Dolores Ferrare.

All "Y" club members have been asked to be at the "Y" at 2 o'clock.

Invitations have been placed in the mail for all surviving members of the association in the local district.

16th Infantry Vets Will Meet

Annual Reunion Of Co. B, Veterans Will Occur At Castleton

Members of Co. B, 16th P. V. I., who served during the Spanish-American War, are looking forward to their annual gathering, which will take place in The Castleton, Saturday, December 28, at 6 o'clock.

Following a period of reminiscence, dinner will be served at the hotel at 6:45 o'clock.

Invitations have been placed in the mail for all surviving members of the association in the local district.

WAMPUM

SUNDAY SERVICES

Services in the local churches Sunday are as follows:

Presbyterian—9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Aubrey Reno, superintendent; 11 a. m., service theme, "The Spirit of Expectation"; 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor; 7:30 p. m., service theme, "Gifts of the King"; Rev. J. G. Bingham.

Methodist—10 a. m., Sunday school, Charles Davis, superintendent; 11 a. m., service; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League; 7:30 p. m., service; Rev. Lester Bailey.

First Pentecostal—10 a. m., Sunday school, Ralph Harper, superintendent; 11 a. m., worship; 7:30 p. m., worship; Rev. Edw. C. Schmidt.

Clinton Methodist—10 a. m., Sunday school, James Snyder, superintendent; 11 a. m., worship; Rev. William R. Wigton.

First Baptist—10 a. m., Sunday school, J. H. Dodson, superintendent; 11 a. m., worship; 6:30 p. m., B. Y. P. U.; 8 p. m., worship; Rev. L. L. Matthews.

St. Monica's—9 a. m., mass, Hoytdale—10:30 a. m., mass.

The News by Mail for 1 Year, \$5.00.

Annual Banquet For Boy Scout Troop At Trinity Church Here

Council Leaders Are Guest Speakers For Program Held In Church

Boy Scouts in Troop 55 held their annual banquet on Thursday evening in the Guild Room of the Trinity church here. Rev. P. C. Pearson opened the meeting with prayer.

Following a delicious dinner, the following guests spoke briefly to the Scouts: Mr. Pearson, Harry Cullford, Leslie Brindle, Gwen Lewis, Harry Davis, Ralph Reed, Dr. R. C. Lutz and J. J. Finnessy. Harry Davis presented the troop a merit badge pamphlet library on behalf of the Laymen's League of Trinity Church. The gift was accepted by Quartermaster Bud Williams.

Awards were made for achievement in the last field meet, which was won by Troop 55. Richard Blews former scout, now in the Army presented Bud Williams with a ribbon bar pin for third place knot tying.

Mr. Cullford presented Melvin Brinkner with a second place pin for knot tying. Melvin Brinkner and Bob Day were presented with second place pins in water boiling. Jack Gaston presented Bob Day and Jim Cleaver second place pins in tent pitching. Others getting awards were: Dick Audino, Don McKibben, Dick McGough, Bernard Thompson and Eugene Wagner.

Following women of the church prepared the dinner menu: Mrs. Brindle, Mrs. Cullford and daughter Molly, Mrs. A. J. Barnsley and daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. McConaghy and Miss McCormick.

Nurses' Sodality To Have Christmas Frolic, December 20

Mary Ellen McPeak Is Snow Queen For Christmas Frolic On December 20

Sodalists of the New Castle hospital gathered on Thursday evening in the activity room of the nurses' home, at which time a Christmas frolic has been planned for Friday, December 20.

Miss Mary Ellen McPeak was elected as snow queen to reign over the frolic, and Miss Irene Dravey and Martha Clark were chosen as the snow queen's aides. Attendees and pages for this event were selected to be as follows: Eleanor Brancatone, Mary Tippet, Margaret Spagiarine, Mary Orlando, Philomena Cavaricci, Helen Branco, Olga Marotti and Mary Perotta.

Plans for a mid-winter dance were held, and president, Teresa Cosgrove appointed Helen O'Tousa as head of the publicity committee and Gertrude Crable and Martha Clark in charge of the arrangement committee. Further arrangements will be made at the next meeting.

JOHN MCKIBBEN IS NOW IMPROVING

John McKibben, of 119 North Mill street, local World War veteran, who suffered a fracture of the hip, in a fall on East North street, a week ago, is getting along nicely in the Jameson Memorial hospital, where he is undergoing treatment.

It was thought at first that McKibben's injuries were not serious, but an X-ray examination revealed a fracture.

WOMAN IS INJURED

Miss Althea Finefrock of Florence avenue, was treated at the Jameson Memorial hospital at 2 o'clock this morning, for injuries to her knees, said to have been suffered when she fell from a car. She was brought to the hospital by city police, who were notified by Stanley Majeski and Chester Weaver, of Rigby Post Office, who told police they found her, who was able to be taken home after receiving treatment.

There are 26 cities in the United States named Madison.

St. Joseph's Group Will Have Annual Christmas Party On December 29

Friday evening members of the Young Ladies' sodality of St. Joseph's church, gathered in their club rooms, and plans were discussed for their Christmas party on December 29. Gifts will be exchanged.

Miss Charlotte Leonardo is the chairlady, and she will be aided by Rita Metz, Elizabeth Sansoni, Pauline Peluso, Loretta Plegger and Leona Plegger. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the committee will meet to make further arrangements.

Various reports were given by Charlotte Leonardo, on activities of the Glee club, and Rita Metz, chairman of the Catholic Truth committee, who spoke on the club's library.

The Rev. Fr. William J. Erkens, spiritual director of the sodality, addressed the girls, and thanked them for their co-operation shown during the sodalists rally held on December 8. Father Erkens also spoke about activities pertaining to the club.

January 3 is the date for the next meeting.

VOLANT

Among the friends attending the funeral of the late William J. Allen, Volant, were Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Miller, B. F. McDowell, Charles Cornman, Rich Hill; Rev. William A. Lloyd of Leesburg; Harry Hunter of Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Drake, Leslie McCracken of Harlanburg; Mr. and Mrs. George Whitman, Cooperstown; Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNulty, Fred Magee and George Holliday of Plainsboro.

William S. Drake, Clarence Drake and Guy Grim, Volant, attended the funeral of the late Charles H. Drake, Bessemer, recently.

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Church Sodality Plans For Party

St. Joseph's Group Will Have Annual Christmas Party On December 29

HOSPITAL NOTES

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL
Admitted—James Ross, 442 County Line street; James Miles, Forest street extension.
Discharged—William Moses, 415 Galloway avenue; Mrs. Thelma Powell and infant son, Route 2, English avenue; Mrs. Lane King, McClelland avenue.

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Admitted—George Edvokemoss, R. F. D. No. 1, Edenburg; Mrs. Miriam Morgan, East Washington street; Mrs. Mary Cordray, New Wilmington; Philip Nero, Edenburg.
Discharged—Mrs. Katherine Miller, Holton street; Mrs. Margaret Kieler and infant son, Beaver Falls; Mrs. Zella Goodwill, Ellwood City; Mrs. Lillian Shaff, Youngstown; Mrs. Leona Torchio and infant daughter, West Washington street; Donna Jean Moyer, Croton avenue; James Harris, Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Jane Teets, Sampson street; Mrs. Nannie Wood, Wampum; Louis C. Dayton, Moody avenue, tonsil operation.

DIVORCE SOUGHT IN BUTLER COUNTY

BUTLER, Pa., Dec. 14.—An action of divorce has been filed here by Esther S. May of Slippery Rock against Terrence L. May, 205 Garfield avenue, New Castle, alleging cruel and barbarous treatment.

Married in Winchester, Va., April 18, 1940, the couple went to house-keeping in Slippery Rock.

FIRST ROTARY LECTURE TO BE JANUARY 16

Four dates for the Rotary clubs' 1941 "Institute of International Understanding" lectures were announced today as January 16, 23, 30 and February 6. All will be held Thursday evenings. Speakers will not be named until later.

We haven't begun to feel it yet. England's rich men are taxed \$4.37 on every \$5 of income.

CHESTER YOUNG IS STEADILY IMPROVING

Chester Young, of R. F. D. No. 2, Portersville, who has been in the Jameson Memorial hospital since August 15, when he sustained fractures of both legs, when hit by an automobile, is getting along nicely, and will soon be able to leave the hospital. He now has one leg out of a cast and is showing continued improvement.

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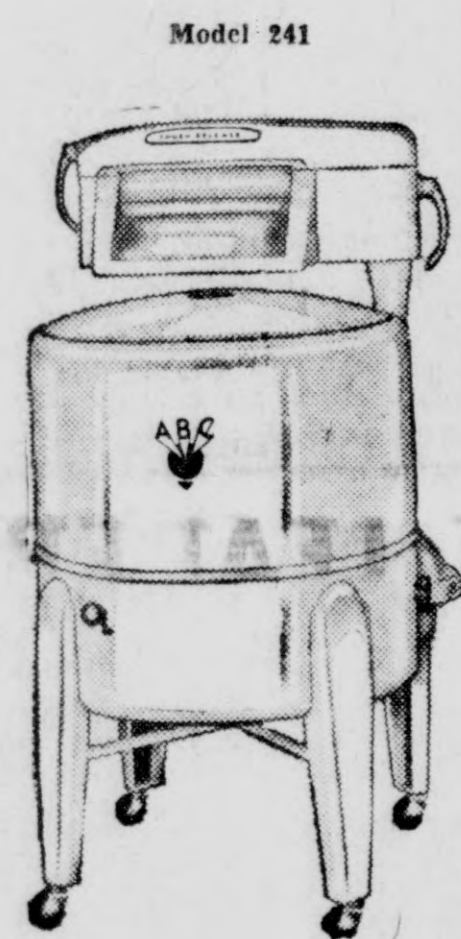
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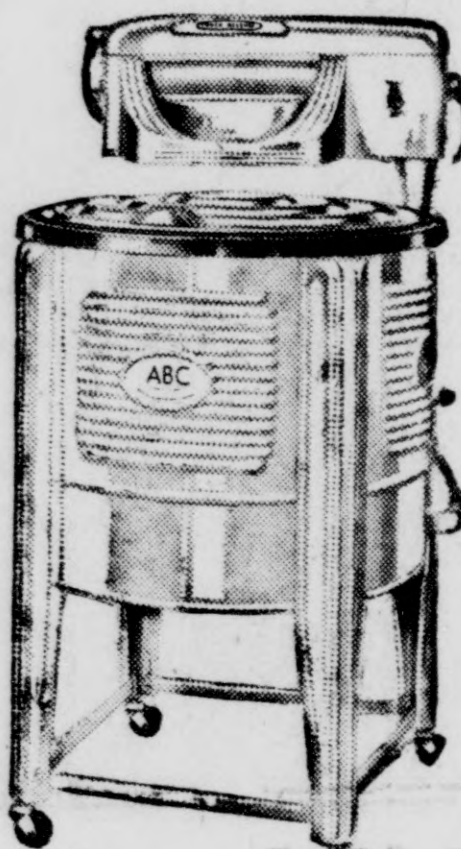


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NOVEMBER BUILDING
HERE COST \$42,905
Building operations here during November cost \$42,905.00, according to estimates given the clerk in

the building bureau, city hall. One dwelling was said to have cost \$2,500; two garages, \$1,105; one industrial building, \$38,000 and repairs, \$1,300.

TWO RESTAURANT PERMITS
City health department last month gave out permits for two new restaurants here. It was stated in the health bureau report for November.

Dr. Dafoe's Column On The Quintuplets And The Care Of Your Children

WEIGHT REDUCTION
How often have you heard a stout person say: "It's natural for me to be overweight. All my family were fat too. I just inherited the tendency. There isn't anything I can do about it."

Some time ago in these columns I stated that obesity was usually caused by overeating—nothing else. Since I wrote that column I have had letters of protest from fat people mentioning heredity and glandular upsets as the cause of their troubles. To these, and all others who tell me they inherited their obesity, I reply that it is much more likely they are fat by habit than heredity.

Of course, you will often find a whole family—mother, father, brothers, sisters—all overweight. If you are in the family dining room when they eat, you see the reason. The diet of all is rich in starches and fats and sugars. They eat too much keeping up with each other. Yet anyone speaks to them about it, they point to obese relatives and say "Can't help it, it's heredity."

Actually, it was the appetite and the diet they acquired from the family. The result is obesity, which is always dangerous and gets more dangerous to the individual as he grows older.

Scientists have determined that the ideal weight condition is for a person to lose a few pounds after the age of 40, and keep the weight at this level.

Of course the term "overeating" is a relative one. Two men will be put on the same diet; one will gain weight, the other won't. That just means that the system of the man who gained manufactures fat more readily than his companion's. That means that he is overeating when he has the same diet as the man who remains normal. Such people should cut down on the food intake—they need less food than others. Let them curb their appetite a bit and eat more greens to fill up instead of loads of butter and cream and pastry.

Overeating is a relative term even with the same person. You are a fairly active man or woman during your early years. You golf and play tennis and walk a lot. Then after the age of thirty-five, say, business becomes more pressing. The games of golf dwindle, the tennis disappears. Now, when you want to go a couple of blocks, you jump into your car and drive. Yet all this time your diet has remained about the same as it was before your other habits changed. Of course, with no exercise to burn up the surplus energy, it is deposited around your waist and in other places in the form of fat.

People are always saying that fat people are placid and easy going. Some even excuse obesity by suggesting that their placid disposition is the cause. Personally, I believe the shoe is on the other foot—fatness causes lethargy. The real story is that fatness causes the placid disposition.

Part Of School Allotment Is Paid By State

Funds For Transportation Of School Pupils Are Apportioned To Lawrence County

(Special To The News)
HARRISBURG, Dec. 14.—Auditor General Warren R. Roberts today approved the payment of \$1,242,393.92 to 1421 school districts throughout the state to reimburse them for expenditures for the transportation of children.

While the allotment for the schools, under the provisions of the code, amounts to \$2,300,735.15, only 54 per cent of the allotment will be paid at this time for the reason that there are not sufficient funds remaining in the appropriation of \$3,500,000 made by the 1939 legislature for that purpose.

It is probable that the Department of Public Instruction will ask the forthcoming session of the General Assembly to make a deficiency appropriation of \$1,058,341.23 for the payment of the remaining 46 per cent of the allotment to the school districts.

Payments to the school districts of Lawrence county, together with their allotments, are as follows:

District	Total Allotment	Approved
Ellwood City	\$ 264.60	\$ 142.88
Fourth class	500.00	270.00
Big Beaver	592.31	319.84
Chester	856.17	462.33
Hickory	1,864.50	1,006.83
Little Beaver	3,772.18	2,036.37
Mahoning	4,000.00	2,160.00
Perry	2,295.00	1,239.30
Plainsboro	2,448.00	1,321.92
Pulaski	648.00	349.92
Scott	3,517.88	1,899.65
Shenango	2,187.00	1,180.98
Slippery Rock	1,383.75	747.22
S. New Castle	372.27	201.02
Taylor	1,060.28	572.55
Union	944.86	510.22
Volant	1,044.00	565.76
Washington	2,358.00	1,273.32
Wayne	200.00	108.00
Wilkesboro		

Total \$30,944.80 \$16,710.15

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Presbyterian—Rev. Raymond M. Touvell, minister. Sunday school, 9:45. P. W. Griffin, general superintendent; Frank B. Beale, superintendent of primary department; men's Community Bible class at 10; morning worship service and sermon at 11; Junior Christian Endeavor at 6; Intermediate and Senior Christian Endeavor at 7. No evening service.

Mission Covenant—Rev. Rudolph J. Johnson, minister. Sunday school at 10; morning worship service and sermon at 11; evening service at 7:30, special music.

St. Anthony Roman Catholic—Early mass at 9 and late mass at 10:30 will be observed and celebrated with Rev. Fr. Joseph A. Young the celebrant in charge of devotionals.

Italian Pentecostal Mission—Mike DiSantis, superintendent. Sunday school at 1:30 and worship service and sermon at 2:30 with Andrew Fusco of New Castle delivering the discourse.

SOCIETY ORGANIZES

The Sacred Heart Fraternity held a special meeting Wednesday, December 11. This was for the purpose of electing officers. The following were elected: President, V. I. Mandich; vice president, Joseph Stanish; secretary, John Brenin; treasurer, Matt Samsa; recording secretary, Mary A. Sepic. The meeting was held in the basement of St. Anthony's Catholic church.

DINNER CLUB MEETING

The Dinner Club of 1940 gathered at the home of Mrs. Nellie Houk on Thursday for their regular Christmas party when a bountiful dinner was set before the group. After the dinner, the business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. D. Groce. After the reports were given and approved the revelation of mystery sisters were made known and new pals drawn. The election of new officers resulted in the election of: President, Mrs. Harry M. Murphy; vice president, Mrs. I. M. Davidson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. John Davidson. This finishing the routine business of the afternoon, an exchange of gifts was held. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in singing Christmas hymns.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Harmon, Mahoningtown R. D., on Wednesday, January 15.

J-12 CLUB MEETING

The J-12 club members gathered at the home of Mrs. Will Groce on Tuesday evening and held a brief business meeting to settle the next meeting place. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing bingo, with the high score of games going to Mrs. Monas Cunningham and the booty prize going to Mrs. Emma E. McCutcheon. The door prize was won by Mrs. William Glasel.

BESSEMER NOTES

Mrs. Joseph Carr, who has been confined to the home of her son, remains about the same.

Mrs. Sterling Grimes is spending a few days with friends in Niles, O. Mrs. Clara Carr, of Mt. Jackson, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Carr, visiting with Mrs. Agnes Carr.

WOLVES CLUB



Wolves Club members will gather in The Castillon, Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, for their regular dinner meeting.

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In the office of Clerk of Courts John A. Edgar the following cases have been laid.

The Pennsylvania Department of Public Assistance files suit against Thomas Patterson for \$475 alleged to have been paid him in assistance. He is alleged to have property in Plainsboro township and in Mercer County.

The Pennsylvania Department of Public Assistance files a suit against Richard F. Dana, executor of the estate of the late Richard Forrest for \$683.20. It is alleged that part of the estate is an undivided interest in real estate located in New Castle.

M. K. Gilliland files an amicable election against Irwin Perry and Elizabeth Perry.

Vasil Yevitch of Bessemer asks a divorce from Emil Yevitch, of Youngstown, O. They were married October 24, 1938. Desertion is charged.

According to Clyde D. Badger, chief deputy sheriff and himself a hunter of mean proportions, Mrs. Wallie Davis of Johns streets who was a member of the hunting party in which Mr. Badger was, knocked

over an eight point deer and then dragged it one and a half miles to camp.

Just in passing it can be said that the county treasurer's office girls' bowling team finally hung one on the girls of the county commissioners this week. The girls bowl every Thursday night and the series thus far is in favor of the commissioners' girls.

Gettings summoned for the second week of jury duty in criminal court doesn't mean much lately. For the past 18 months the second week jurors have not been needed. The prevalence of pleas in criminal cases is the answer for Clerk of Courts John A. Edgar says there are as many suits filed as there ever were.

COIN CLUB WILL MEET MONDAY EVE

Members of the New Castle Coin club will have their monthly meeting in the accustomed place Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Several members have promised to bring interesting displays for the meeting, it is stated.

Kyle At State Grange For 22nd Consecutive Year

North Beaver Man Will Return Today With Others From Annual Sessions

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Patterson of East Brook and David F. Kyle of North Beaver township, who have been attending the sessions of the Pennsylvania state grange at Wilkes-Barre, returned home today.

Mr. Kyle has attended state grange sessions for 22 consecutive years, which is believed to be a record equalled by few in the state. He attended for six years as Lawrence county Pomona master, three years as master of the North Beaver Grange, and several other years as a representative of the North Beaver masters, who were unable to attend.

LOSES FOG LIGHTS
McKEESPORT, Dec. 14.—Report was made to McKeesport police of the theft of a pair of fog lights from the car of Alfred Mann, of New Castle, Pa., while his automobile was parked on a street here.



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Report Tuesday

Executive Vice President Arthur H. Andrews of the Greater New Castle association will report past and current industrial promotion efforts of the association to a joint assembly of the GNCA's board of directors and advisory council in the Castleton Tuesday, December 17 at 7:30 p. m.

President Norman E. Clark urges a full attendance of the board and council. He said vital information will be given the governing groups that night.

Andrews will probably discuss what the GNCA has been quietly doing to attract national defense plants and contracts here.

Friday, Thirteenth Club Enjoys Dinner

Occasional Gathering Takes
Place At Leslie Hotel On
Friday Evening

Members of the Friday, the Thirteenth Club gathered in the Leslie Hotel Friday evening in honor of the occasion of Friday, the 13th, with Dave Tobin presiding as chairman of the evening.

After the dinner, an informal program was presented, and gifts of a humorous nature were exchanged.

William J. Fleming was elected chairman for the only meeting which will take place next year, when Friday, the 13th, occurs during the month of June.

James Fletcher of the Seventh Ward, disabled World War vet, was elected an honorary member of the club, and was named permanent secretary.

Insurance Men Hear Officers

State President And Secretary,
And Legislators Speak At
Gathering Friday

New Castle Association of Insurance Agents had the privilege of hearing addresses by W. Ray Thomas, president, and Frank Moses, secretary of the Pennsylvania Association of Insurance Agents, at their dinner meeting in the Castleton Friday evening. They were also addressed by State Senator-elect J. K. McQuiddy, and Assemblyman-elect Presley N. Jones and George T. Weingartner, who were special guests of the association.

The business meeting at 4:30 o'clock, and the dinner meeting following were attended by a large number of representatives of the Fire and Casualty Insurance Agents of Lawrence and Beaver county, who were also guests of the local association.

The meeting was one of the most interesting held by the local association, and was largely attended.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

PACK CANDY

This morning at 10:30 o'clock two Girl Reserves from each local club gathered to pack candy in the third floor kitchen of the Y. W. C. A. Dorothy Pitzer, from the Shenango club, had everything well organized with the delicious home made candy piled high on the tables, on squares of clean wax paper. The girls passing around and round the tables, picked up a sample from each pile to place it carefully in attractive Christmas boxes, for the 136 little kiddies who will be guests of Y. W. C. A. club members Sunday afternoon.

Packing the candy were: Franklin club, Jacqueline Sines and Lois Reno; Shenango club, Elsie Shaffer and Dorothy Pitzer; Washington club, Helen Graham and Jean Hastings; Mahoningtown club, Doris Jean Nickerson and Angeline DeVideo; Elm street clubs; Helen Jackson, Marie Carter, Dorothy Crunkleton and Susie Lee.

Giving out the candy tomorrow afternoon at the ice cream will be the following Girl Reserves: Franklin club, Dorothy Works; Shenango club, Dorothy Houck; Washington club, Audrey Cashburn; Mahoningtown club, Virginia DePasquale.

SOCIALITE ATTACKED BY BUTLER



Mrs. John K. Strubing, Jr., and Joseph Spell, Inset

Member of a prominent Philadelphia family, Mrs. John K. Strubing, Jr., 32, Greenwich, Conn., socialite, is recovering in a White Plains, N. Y., hospital after an assault by her Negro butler-chaufer, Mrs. Strubing told police that the Negro, Joseph Spell, 31, had forced her to write a note demanding \$5,000 ransom from her husband after assaulting her four times.

Personal Mention

Mrs. Anna Marie Algier, Hillcrest avenue, is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Harold Shaffer, Highland avenue, is confined to her home by illness.

William Pugh of Charleston, W. Va., is visiting with his family on Clearview avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Wilbur Flannery of Moody avenue are spending the week-end with friends in Cleveland.

William E. Harris of Elizabeth street, who has been confined to his home with illness, is somewhat improved.

Dorothy Bartholemew, of North Cochran Way, who has been confined to her home by illness, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hemmerly of Pittsburgh, are here attending the funeral of the latter's brother, Harvey Fullerton.

Billy Skellie, of Saxenburg, is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beerbower, New Wilmington road.

Miss Jennie Owens, of Weirton, West Va., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jones, of East Reynolds street.

William H. Reck, of South Walnut street, who is confined to the

New Castle hospital for treatment, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Virginia Eckley, of West Washington street, spent Friday in Youngstown, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. A. P. Armstrong.

Mrs. Rose Haldia of New York City is making an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yarosz of 707 Arlington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Jones of Charleston, W. Va., are visiting over the week-end at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Arthur Wehr and family on Adams street.

Mrs. William Evans of Luton St., who was hurt in an automobile accident on Thursday evening is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chris Walker of Winslow avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berline and Russell Childs Berline of Niles, O., have concluded a visit with Mrs. Berline's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Linsley of East Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Christie and sons, John and Charles, of McKeesport, have returned, after visiting with Mrs. Christie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dean, of Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Speidel of New York, are in New Castle as house guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaffer and daughter Marian, of 514 North Mercer street.

The many friends of Mrs. E. L. Conover, for many years a resident of this city, but now living at 1491 East 11th street, Cleveland, will be glad to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McQuiddy of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting the former's brother, Senator-elect J. K. McQuiddy and wife, of Audley avenue. This is the first time the two brothers have met in 15 years.

Roger W. Rowland, Jr., will spend his 25-day holiday furlough from Culver Military Academy with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Rowland, 1000 Highland avenue. His father is Governor James' secretary of property and supplies.

Mrs. Sam Howell (nee Clara Barber) formerly of this city, and now a resident of Youngstown, O., who has been in the Cleveland hospital for the past several weeks, has many friends in this vicinity who will be pleased to learn that she is showing steady improvement.

Mrs. R. R. Frederick and daughter, Virginia, Grant street, have returned from a two weeks vacation at Fort Pierce, Florida. While there, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nowalk and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lloyd. Mr. Lloyd has been doing quite a bit of fishing and recently caught a 12-pound red snapper, a small fan shark as well as some smaller snappers.

EAST MCKEESPORT
MAN MEETS DEATH

(International News Service)
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 14.—Samuel St. Clair, 55, of East McKeesport, was listed as Allegheny County's latest traffic fatality today. St. Clair was killed last night when struck by an automobile in Fifth avenue extension, North Versailles township. The driver was Mitchell Phillips, 25, of Elizabeth, according to police.

YOUTH RESCUED FROM
LEDGE IS THAWED OUT

(International News Service)
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 14.—Ralph Young, 17, was just beginning to get warm today.

He spent two hours last night shivering on a North Side hillside ledge that overlooks Jefferson street. He became trapped there above a 50 foot drop while trying to find a "short cut" down the hill.

Firemen rescued him and took him to North Side police station to thaw out.

Diplomatic triumph: Persuading a diplomat to sign a paper by holding a gun to his head.

Draft Regulations Are Discussed At Capital Conference

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—State draft directors, returning to their homes today, are expected to effect two important changes in selective service procedure as a result of their 48-hour Washington conference. They are:

1. Relaxation of rules on dependency deferments so that a greater percentage of married men with working wives will be exempted from the draft.

2. Tightening of physical requirements so that only men in tiptop shape will be sent to army induction stations.

Although the meetings here were informal and held behind closed doors, it was learned that these two controversial problems were the ones on which the draft officials concentrated.

No official changes in regulations can be made, it was pointed out, but the changes in the administration of existing regulations can and probably will be effected as a result of the discussions.

Gridiron Club Dinner Tonight

White House Denies Reports
That President Is Boy-
cotting Event

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Bigwigs of both major political parties gathered in Washington today for the Gridiron Club dinner tonight as the White House moved to deny reports that President Roosevelt was boycotting the affair.

Those who will attend the dinner, at which members of the press will have open seating, include Wendell L. Willkie, the 1940 presidential nominee, and Alf M. Landon, the 1936 GOP standard bearer.

Representing the Democrats will be National Democratic Chairman Edward J. Flynn and former national chairman Jim Farley. To make things complete, Rep. Joe Martin, GOP national chairman also don a dinner jacket.

Meanwhile, Stephen T. Early, secretary of President Roosevelt, made public the letter in which the chief executive declined the invitation to a free meal. This action was designed to Scotch rumors that Mr. Roosevelt was a bit touchy about the "ribbing" the new deal has taken at past gridiron dinners.

The letter pointed out that the president had to go out of town on a national defense tour. It assured the Gridiron Club that the president would be happy to attend if he got back to Washington in time.

But Mr. Roosevelt won't be back in town until next week.

Huge Sums Are
Allocated By U. S.
For Arms Plant

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Two contracts totaling \$105,887,760 for equipping and operating a small arms ammunition plant at St. Louis, Mo., were awarded by the war department today.

The plant is to occupy 134 acres in St. Louis and provide employment for between 10,000 to 12,000 persons.

Contracts awarded were to the United States Cartridge Co., Baltimore, Md., \$87,279,790 for the production of ammunition, and to Western Cartridge Co., East Alton, Ill., \$18,600,000, to supervise construction of the plant on a cost plus fixed fee basis.

"The site of the new plant is in line with the general war department policy of encouraging the location of new national defense plants in the central part of the United States," the department said.

Another contract for the actual construction of the plant is to be awarded later.

Oil Fields In
Rumania Are
Reported Afire

(BULLETIN)
(International News Service)
BUDAPEST, Dec. 14.—Bolshevik agents, risking their lives to disrupt the supply of Rumanian oil and other raw materials to Germany's war machine, today were believed responsible for a series of sabotage acts that have set the oil fields of Ploesti aflame and isolated the province of Moldavia from the rest of Rumania.

Great fires are destroying the Ploesti oil fields as the result of terrific explosions at several points along the Ploesti-Ruzau pipeline. The explosions destroyed an important bridge at Telejan.

Communist Roundup
In Rumania Begins

(International News Service)
BUDAPEST, Dec. 14.—A roundup of Communists is underway in Rumania, Bucharest dispatches said today.

Forty-seven Jews have been arrested. Rascals charged with Communist propaganda.

Many Communists have been arrested in other Rumanian towns, including a high official of the finance ministry in Bucharest. A number of Bolshevik leaflets were found in his house.

All arrested Communists will be court martialed and many are expected to be executed.

Mussolini's Son
Is In "Good Health"

(International News Service)
ROME, Dec. 14.—Bruno Mussolini, son of Premier Mussolini, today was said by Italian officials to be serving at an airport in southern Italy "and in good health."

(Editor's note: Unconfirmed rumors from Athens said young Mussolini had been killed in a Fascist air raid on Salonika in November.)

YOUTH RESCUED FROM
LEDGE IS THAWED OUT

(International News Service)
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 14.—Ralph Young, 17, was just beginning to get warm today.

He spent two hours last night shivering on a North Side hillside ledge that overlooks Jefferson street. He became trapped there above a 50 foot drop while trying to find a "short cut" down the hill.

Firemen rescued him and took him to North Side police station to thaw out.

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SEVENTH WARD NEWS

Increased Mail
Volume Noticed
By Railway Men

Incoming Business At Mahoningtown Post Office Has Increased Greatly

Mahoningtown railroad men who travel into the larger cities in the district each day, report that the volume of mail being handled has already greatly increased, although no marked increase has as yet been noticed locally.

At the Mahoningtown Post Office, Superintendent Edwin McBride stated that incoming mail has been exceptionally heavy during the past two days, indicating that persons in other towns are doing their Christmas mailing early.

McBride also stated that the local mail has been rather slow in picking up volume this year, for some reason or other.

Civic Club Has
Meeting Friday

There was a good turnout for the meeting of the Seventh Ward Civic club Friday evening in the office of H. G. Coates, North Cedar street. Representatives of the Mahoningtown Garden club also attended the meeting.

Reports were made on the holiday lighting fund, but this was not complete because some of the money cans were not turned in and some of the workers were unable to attend the meeting because of illness.

Clarence Coates, secretary of the Civic club, believes, however, that the quota will be reached and sufficient funds to pay for the lights will be raised.

Plan To Light
Christmas Lights
In Ward Tonight

Everything Is In Readiness
Therefore Lighting Date
Is Set Ahead

Announcement was made this morning that the Pennsylvania Power Company has been notified to light the Christmas lights in the Seventh Ward for the first time tonight.

Due to the fact that all the light strings are in place and everything is ready, it was decided to light the lights earlier than December 20, the date originally set.

Power company workmen have the light strings strung across Liberty street, from East Clayton street to the railroad overhead bridge just below Darlington avenue.

Mrs. C. F. Perrine
Elected President
Of Auxiliary Here

Annual Christmas party for members of the Grand International Auxiliary to Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers was held Friday afternoon in the American Legion Home. A delicious thirteen dinner was served at noon.

During the business period, election of officers was held with Mrs. C. F. Perrine being elected as president. Others elected followed:

Past president, Mrs. C. G. Anderson; vice president, Mrs. C. A. Probst; insurance secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Donnell; secretary, Mrs. H. A. Leighty; treasurer, Mrs. John McClurg; chaplain, Mrs. L. E. Burleson; guide, Mrs. H. S. Sherman; sentinel, Mrs. H. H. Taylor; trustees, Mrs. S. D. Cox, Mrs. H. S. Sherman and Mrs. R. R. Clark. Next meeting will be held on December 26 in the Legion Home.

NEWLY ORGANIZED
CLASS HAS MEETING

Members of a newly organized Sunday school class from the Mahoningtown Methodist church, held their first meeting Friday evening at the home of Jean Flack, West Clayton street. Mrs. Jess Gehrken is teacher of this new group.

Devotional and business period was in charge of the president, Miss Flack. A scavenger hunt was held by the group, after which they returned to the Flack home for games. Prizes were awarded to Maxine Smoot, Carlene Godwin and Marjorie Hibbard.

Miss Ruth Jean Jolly was in charge of the entertainment for the meeting. Miss Flack served a luncheon, aided by her mother, Mrs. Victor Flack. Next meeting will be on January 10, at the Gehrken home, Mt. Jackson road.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Madison Avenue Christian church, West Madison avenue, Rev. Milton E. Shearer, pastor; Robert Park, superintendent; Mrs. C. H. Clark, pianist.

Bible school begins at 9:45 o'clock. Morning worship and communion at 10:45 o'clock. Christian Endeavor meeting starts at 6:45 o'clock. Evening worship service is scheduled for 7:45 o'clock.

W. A. G. CLUB
Christmas party for members of the W. A. G. club will be held on Thursday evening, December 19, at a downtown tea room. Dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock. An exchange of gifts will feature.

BIG TREE SECURED
A giant Christmas tree has been secured for the Pennsylvania Power Company sub-station, North Cedar street. The tree will be decorated with colored lights in the near future.

Mrs. Joseph Conti, of 216 North Liberty street, has departed for Hollywood, Calif., where she will visit during the winter months with her daughter, Jennie Isabella and family.

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Prunes . . . 3 lbs. 23c

Won a Uniform



Miss Dorothy Wilbourne

Miss Dorothy Wilbourne of Los Angeles, above, thought she was lucky when she won a soldier's uniform in a dice game—but she wasn't. She was wearing the uniform when arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Private Robert Miller later reported he and Dorothy had been celebrating his enlistment in the national guard. Dorothy received a 50-day jail sentence.

MUST SPEED UP
DEFENSE PROGRAM

Knudsen Says Defense Effort
Is Not Satisfactory At
Present Time

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—With the warning that the defense effort so far was "not satisfactory enough to warrant hopes that everything is well," William S. Knudsen, production chief of the national defense advisory commission, today left the suggestion that defense production be put on a "war basis."

In a dramatic speech to the closing session of National Association of Manufacturers' Congress of Industry, Knudsen asserted that the public generally is sold on defense, but that neither industry nor labor has been "sufficiently sold" on the huge defense job facing the nation. He called for abandonment of the industrial "blackout" from Friday to Monday, but made it clear that he was not advocating abolition of the five-day week in industry, since, he said, ample men were available for training to keep the country's mechanical equipment in action during the two-day weekend.

Expressing belief that by exerting all possible effort, industry could advance its deliveries by as much as 20 per cent, Knudsen said: "Frankly, we are not doing anything compared to the forecast by the manufacturers and the commission in July."

Believe Diarrhea
Is Responsible For
Eight Infant Deaths

(International News Service)
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Both floors of the maternity ward at Mt. Sinai Hospital have been closed, it was learned today. Following deaths of several infants possibly by attacks of diarrhea.

Dr. George E. Johnson, of the city health department, said there was no evidence the illness was of an epidemic nature, although an investigation is being continued. Of eight babies who died at Mt. Sinai since last October, four had diarrhea, he revealed.

At present, Dr. Johnson said, there is no diarrhea among Mt. Sinai infants, although one infant transferred to another hospital showed symptoms of the complaint.

Leopold Stokowski
May Sign Contract

(International News Service)
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Negotiations between Conductor Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra association for a 1941-42 contract today apparently simmered down to a slight difference over "royalties from records."

While observers intimated that other financial arrangements were satisfactory to both sides, Manager Earl McDonald announced he would confer further with Stokowski on the latter's return from New York on Monday.

The orchestra, it was said, last year sold 640,000 records at a general retail price of \$2.00 each. Stokowski and the group divided record royalties of about \$120,000 last year, it was believed.

BUCHER NAMED BY PENNSY
H. S. Bucher, Marshallville, O., has been appointed Pennsylvania railroad agent at Sharpville, Pa. it was announced here. He succeeds Charles Clark, who went to Mt. Vernon, O. The railroad also said E. J. Gentsch, Altoona has succeeded J. T. Williams as gang foreman at the Cherry street enginehouse.

Workers Here To Be Trained
At Expense Of Uncle Sam

Special part-time technical courses will be started in New Castle in January by Pennsylvania State college and Westminster college as part of the new federal "engineering defense training program," the Greater New Castle Association announced today.

Fifteen thousand Pennsylvanians are expected to share the instruction which the government hopes will meet "the urgent demand for additional technically trained men in industries affected directly or indirectly by the national defense."

Plans were completed here this week by college representatives, government representatives and officials of local plants.

Men working in local defense industries who desire to fit themselves for more responsible assignments, or other qualified persons, may take the courses free of charge, as they are financed entirely from a \$9,000,000 appropriation by congress. Applicants must have a high school education or its equivalent, and in some cases two or three years

college engineering preparation, although here again experience will count heavily as an equivalent.

Courses offered locally by Penn State will include: engineering drafting, production engineering, physical testing of materials, elementary tool design, physical metallurgy (heat treating), pre-foremanship for production supervision and physical testing (metallurgical applications).

A course in engineering drafting and descriptive geometry will be given by Westminster college in New Wilmington.

Courses to be offered have been chosen in response to the direct requests of local defense industries, which have indicated an immediate need for workers trained in these subjects.

Most of the training will be given in three-hour classes, three nights a week, for 24 weeks, or a total of 216 hours.

Registration will take place on January 15 and 16 in the office of the Greater New Castle Association in The Castleton and classes will start on January 21.

Court Imposes
Sentences Upon
Many Offenders

Unusually Long List Of Sentences Imposed At Morning Session

Preceding Santa Claus by a couple of weeks Judge W. Walter Braham handed out some presents in the court house today but most of them were not appreciated by the recipients. It was sentence day and the list was unusually long. No unduly severe sentences were handed down, most of the offenses being minor ones. The list follows:

Leonard Pittocchi, larceny. Probation for two years.

John Cameron, Jr., receiving stolen goods. Costs and probation for two years.

Ray Dell Slayton, receiving stolen goods, probation for two years.

John D. McClinton, receiving stolen goods. Probation for two years.

James Allen and Fred Allen, prosecutors in a case but ordered to pay the costs.

Harvey Blinn, morals charge, \$100 fine or 30 days in jail.

Lana Whitlatch, morals charge, \$100 fine or thirty days in jail.

James Ross, attempted larceny and burglary. One and half to three years in western penitentiary.

George Cameron, burglary, one third the costs and sent to Huntingdon.

S. W. Niece, driving while intoxicated, \$100 fine, costs and thirty days in jail. Out in five days if the fine and costs are paid.

Sam Macchiarelli, obtaining public assistance under false pretense. Restore \$200 and five months in the county jail.

David Bullano, burglary. Sentenced to Huntingdon industrial school.

Alexander A. Farkas, driving while intoxicated. Make restitution of \$177.75 damages and thirty days in jail.

Maurice Burrell, robbery, 1½ to 3 years in the penitentiary.

Harold Hilberry and Joseph Pacelli, burglary, each pay one half the costs and probation for three years.

Nick Toschl, obtaining public assistance under false pretense, fined 6½ cents, make restitution of \$350 and seven months in jail.

East Brook F. F. A.
Wins Demonstration
At District Rally

Will Represent Area At State Farm Show In January As Result Of Contest

East Brook's F. F. A. demonstration team won the contest which was held in connection with the district meeting at Princeton high school Thursday evening, when a class of 124 candidates from the area were initiated into the order. Twelve schools in the three counties of Lawrence, Beaver and Butler counties were represented, and there was a large attendance of parents and teachers.

Wayne Knox of West Sunbury presided, and following the initiation ceremonies and the demonstration, refreshments.

Two teams competed for the honor of representing the district at the state farm show contests for F. F. A. youths, East Brook presenting a home lighting demonstration, which was judged to be the best over a caponizing demonstration by Winfield township of Butler county. The contest was judged by A. C. Sproat of Mercer county.

Blue-Bloods Have
Gorgeous Party

(International News Service)
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Amid a time-honored setting of pink, green and white flora Philadelphia's 1940 assembly passed into history early today when 1,100 blue-blooded citizens partook of the traditional supper of terrapin and champagne.

Upholding the colonial mode in manners and dress, the assembly guests danced until the wee hours in a central city hotel. Pink satin lined walls of the ballroom while garlands of smilax festooned with pink begonias and poinsettias hung from chandeliers and boxes.

Guests at the ball were greeted by six prominent women, chosen by the managers, who number six.

Germany's Food
Supply Ample For
Duration Of War

(International News Service)
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—Germany has sufficient food supplies available to last throughout the war, food and agriculture Minister Walther Darre assured the nation in a radio speech today.

He said Germany "now enjoys the highest food standard in Europe" adding:

"The second year of the war has seen increased production of milk and butter. Germans are getting 50 grams of fat weekly more than the British."

"The war already has been decided in Germany's favor militarily, but England is still fighting."

With New Castle
Afro-Americans

JUNIOR CHURCH

On a recent evening, Bethel junior church members met in the home of Howard Taylor on Green street. They elected the following officers: president, Thomas Farrow; vice president, Pearl Clark; secretary, Grace Hallman; treasurer, Dorothy Crunkleton; chaplain, Isophine Clark.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, December 18, at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Kiser, 4 Friendship street, at 8 o'clock.

TO ADDRESS B. Y. P. U.

Rev. Ernest Watson, president of the B. Y. P. U. state convention of Pennsylvania, will address the B. Y. P. U. of the Second Baptist church Sunday at 5:30 o'clock.

PASTOR'S AID

Pastor's Aid of the Second Baptist church will sponsor a recital Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church. The choir from St. Luke A. M. E. Zion, Union Baptist and St. Paul's Baptist churches will assist the choir of the Second Baptist church in this recital.

Solos and duets will also be featured and there will be a reading by Miss Laura Thomas.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Missionary Society of the Second Baptist church held their annual Christmas party in the church dining room recently. At 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Amy Morris opened the program and devotions were conducted by Mrs. Callie Beard and Rev. E. Walker.

Mrs. U. S. Munnerlyn led singing, after which Mrs. Mabel Gardner, president of the society took charge. Mrs. Amy Morris was mistress of ceremonies for the program. Vocal solos were presented by Mrs. Helen Mosley, Mrs. Munnerlyn, Mrs. Georgiana Walker, Mrs. Ina Jones and Mrs. Sally Watkins.

More than 50 attended the party and exchanged gifts.

MONDAY PRAYER BAND

The Monday Prayer Band will meet with Mrs. Dandridge at the Bethel Methodist parsonage on Monday at 2 o'clock.

TO HAVE PROGRAM

The Pastor's Aid Society will have a musical program, Sunday at 3 o'clock, in the Second Baptist church.

COURT OF CALANT

Members of the Court of Calant 127 will meet on Tuesday, December 17, and officers will be elected, at 8 o'clock.

RISEING STAR CLUB

Members of the Rising Star club met recently at the home of Mrs. Rachel Bazley. On Monday, December 16, Mrs. Ethel Brown, of 411 Shady Side, will be hostess at 8:00 o'clock.

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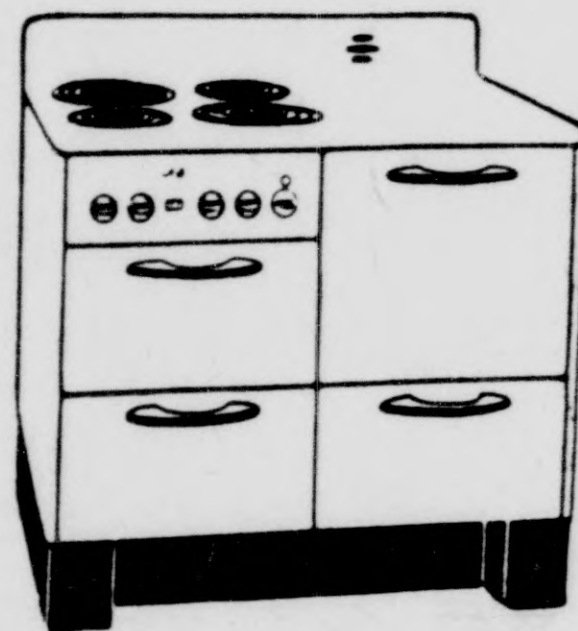
Donald Fleeger, 132 Glenmore Boulevard, New Castle. Florence McDermott, 511 Cascade street, New Castle.

John Macala, Campbell, O. Bertha Polek, Campbell, O.

Edward Collins, 676 North Main street, Meadville, Pa. Henrietta Roman, 621 West Madison avenue, New Castle.

Frank Walliser, R. D. 1, New Castle. Gladys Houk, R. D. 1, New Castle.

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CELEBRATING HIS
45TH BIRTHDAY

(International News Service)
LONDON, Dec. 14.—Without pomp or ceremony because of the war, King George VI celebrated his 45th birthday today in the quiet of a country home with Queen Elizabeth and the royal princesses, Elizabeth and Margaret Rose.

The war has caused discontinuance of the traditional firing of a 21-gun salute in Hyde Park, but every public building and most private houses will fly the union jack.

There were no festivities of any sort, but a spokesman for the monarch said:

"Our successes in the Egyptian western desert are his birthday gift."

The News by Mail for 1 Year, \$5.00.

Christmas
Candies
on DisplayIt's An Old
Chinese Custom

In China, the ancients, at the beginning of the New Year, following a time-honored custom, called on all their creditors—and paid their bills—in full!

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SPORTS

NEW CASTLE NEWS



TRADER—Baseball's David Harum, Larry McPhail, center, of the Brooklyn Dodgers, caught by camera at major league meeting.

New Castle High Is Defeated By Farrell 25 To 22

Three Game Winning Streak Snapped In Fast Game Friday Night

ROSS AND BOSAK HIGH SCORERS

New Castle High's three-game winning streak in basketball came to an end last night at George Washington High gym when a big and fast Farrell High team hung a 25 to 22 defeat on the locals. The game was one of the best seen here in some time. The score was tied at least a half dozen times.

Leading the scorers was Charles "Red" Ross, and Charles Christopher of the New Castle team with 15 of the local points and by Bosak and Callahan of the Farrell team with 15 of the Farrell points. Each team used eight men in the game.

New Castle Leads At Start

New Castle High took the lead at the outset of the game with Bucci sinking a foul try, and then Christopher made a field goal to put the Brienbaughmen in front 3 to 0, until Bosak made a two-pointer for Farrell to make it 3 to 2, in favor of New Castle. A foul by Cannon tied the count for the first time. It was a see-saw battle the rest of the period with Farrell out in front 7 to 5 as the first period closed.

Christopher tied the score at the start of the second period 7-7 with a field goal. Bosak put Farrell back in the lead with a foul. Adamo and Bucci then made field goals that gave New Castle the lead at 11 to 8. Coach Lewis sent Rock and Callahan to the forwards to try and snap up the Farrell offense. Linonis made a foul and with three minutes and 50 seconds of the half left to play Bosak tied the count at 11-11. A long field goal by Cannon gave Farrell the lead at 13 to 11. Just because it was Friday the 13th, "Red" Ross bagged a field goal just before the gun sounded the end of the first half to tie the score at 13-13.

Farrell Takes Over
The third period was disastrous to New Castle. Callahan of the visiting team made a field goal to put Farrell in front 15 to 13 soon after the third session started. Rock made a field goal and it was 17 to 13, then Bosak made a field goal and it was 19 to 13, and gave Farrell a commanding lead. "Red" Ross made the only New Castle two point in the entire period. The third period ended 19 to 15 in favor of Farrell, and the Mercer countians led from this point on.

The entire third period was featured by close guarding on the part of both teams, and then too, both teams missed plenty of shots.

Exciting Finish

Walls replaced Thomas at forward for New Castle as the fourth and final period began. Mitchell went in for Rock for the Farrell team. Christopher started the fourth period tallying by dropping in a foul. Ross then made a field goal and it was 19 to 18 in favor of Farrell.

Rock went back in for Mitchell at forward for Farrell. A long field goal by Callahan made it 21 to 18 in favor of the Lewis-coached team. Bosak tallied and it was 23 to 18 with four minutes of play remaining. Zubkowsky and Lee went into the New Castle lineup, and Bucci and Walls came out. Ross caged a two-pointer to make it 23 to 20. With a minute and a half left to play Bucci and Thomas went in for New Castle. Callahan made the final two points for Farrell, and Christopher made the final New Castle basket just seconds before the game ended.

Very Clean Game

New Castle played minus the services of John "Rags" Gennock, the young veteran team sparkplug, who was declared ineligible late yesterday afternoon in a re-check of the office records. Gennock was found to have too many semesters, but this is not intended as an alibi.

In the matter of foul tossing the New Castle team made 4 out of 6. Farrell made 3 out of 9. The game was clean and hard fought in every period.

The Summary:

New Castle	Fg	F	Tp
Thomas, f	0	2	2
Walls, f	0	0	0
Ross, f	4	0	8
Bucci, c	1	1	3
Christopher, g	3	1	7
Adamo, g	1	0	2
Totals	9	4	22
Non-Scoring Subs	—	—	—
Lee, f	—	—	—
Farrell	Fg	F	Tp
McKinnis, f	0	0	2
Rock, f	1	0	2
Mitchell, f	1	0	2
Callahan, f	3	0	6
Bosak, c	4	1	9
Cannon, g	0	1	1
Linonis, g	1	1	3
Totals	11	3	25
Referee—Yans Wallace.			

LANDIS DRAWS \$65,000 PAY

During the recent major league confab, Judge K. M. Landis, baseball's high commissioner, was re-elected to a new four-year term extending to January 12, 1946, at an annual salary of \$65,000.

New Castle Rifle Club Sets Record

Record 966 Score In Defeating Alliance Team Here Friday Night, Finley Has 196

The New Castle rifle club set a Penn-Ohio high scoring record last night at the Cathedral range, by scoring 966 to 713 over the Alliance club. This is the highest five-man team string ever recorded since the inception of the league, several years back.

The result: New Castle, Finley 196, W. Thomas 193, Crawford 192, Jesse Moore, 193, Milnes 192—Total 966. Other New Castle scores: Kilbreath 184, Mowry 185, J. Williams 189, G. Williams 174, W. Bowers 185, Glitch 180, Hammond 176, Treva Bowers 167, Betty Ward 167, Watson 188, McGinnis 191, Hockenberry 192, Blythe 179, Kollmeyer 186, Hunter 188.

Alliance: Stuckey 185, Tanner 186, Afolter 184, Harrod 158—Total 713.

Wampum Defeated By New Brighton

Cementers Drop 33-25 Decision; Frank Scoring Star With 15 Points

Despite the fact that Frank piled up 15 points, Wampum High dropped a 33-25 cage decision to New Brighton High, Friday night at New Brighton.

Frank, popped in seven double deckers and a charity heave to walk away with high scoring. Craine accounted for six of the Wampum points. Jackson, Pelusso and C. Klear starred for the Section 3 aggregation.

Wampum	G	F	P
Frank f	7	1	15
Bennett f	4	0	8
Craine c	3	0	6
Hernatime g	1	2	4
Johnson g	0	0	0
Totals	11	3	25
New Brighton	G	F	P
Pelusso f	4	0	8
Luce f	0	0	0
C. Klear c	4	0	8
O. Panner g	0	0	0
I. Panner g	3	1	7
Jackson f	5	0	10
Totals	16	1	33

Brookers Lose To Grove City

East Brook Drops Hotly Contested Fray, 26-21, On Friday Night

In a hotly contested cage battle played on East Brook floor, Grove City High emerged with a 26-21 decision over East Brook High Friday night.

After trailing 5-1 at the close of the opening period, the Brookers came back strong, taking an 8-7 lead at halftime. Grove City, however, regained the lead in the third stanza, 16-14, and then stepped off to a five-point triumph.

In the prelim, the East Brook Reserves squared matters by vanquishing Grove City Reserves, 27-19.

East Brook	Fg	F	Tp
Dean, f	1	4	6
Withers, f	2	0	4
Nene, c	1	0	2
Grosetti, g	3	0	6
Carr, g	0	1	1
Morrow, f	0	2	2
Totals	7	7	21

Grove City	Fg	F	Tp
Blanchard, f	2	1	5
Labor, f	0	0	0
Dickson, c	5	3	13
Myers, g	1	0	2
Hendrickson, g	2	2	6
Totals	10	6	26

Officials—Wallace and Hutchinson.

Gersons-Ohioans To Play Sunday

The Gerson basketball team will play the Truscon Steel team of Youngstown at the Arena floor on Sunday, it was announced today.

The Fannins will play the preliminary game at 2 o'clock.

The Truscons are leading the Youngstown Industrial league at the present time, and will come here to try and upset the Jewellers. "The Youngstown team is made up of the tallest five in the Ohio city."

The Gersons after losing to the Grove City team the other night will be out there tomorrow afternoon to try and start a winning streak. Coach Mike Kulich will have his strongest possible lineup available.

DOUBLE HEADER RULING STANDS

Major league clubs will adhere to the same double header ruling that was in vogue during the 1940 campaign, next season.

The ruling provides that Sunday twin bills will be permissible after the second Sunday of the season at home in St. Louis and after the third Sunday in all other cities.

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Titans' Array Of High School Captains



NEW WILMINGTON, Dec. 14.—If high-school basketball captains made good squad material, Westminster college should have an excellent cage quintet this year, with eight former scholastic captains on the playing floor.

Stan Wasik, former Pittsburgh South high star, and Titan center, is the only Blue and White regular who did not captain his high school team. The South high captain was Joe Spak, present Titan guard.

High school captains, left to right, are: Fred Miller, Connellsville, center and forward; Dale Dunmire, Vandergrift, center and guard; Joe Spak, South high of Pittsburgh, guard; Robert Dierken, Munhall, guard; Charles Ridl, Norwin high, Irwin, forward; Frank Hetra, Farrell, guard; Lee Fox, Mont Pleasant high, Schenectady, N. Y., forward; and Jim Hall, Lowellville, Ohio, forward.

Probable starters for tonight's game against Slippery Rock are Ridl and Fox, forwards; Wasik or Miller, center; and Dunmire and Spak, guards.

Lowellville Tops Bessemer Passers

Ohioans Rally In Second Half To Defeat Local Five, 19-16

Bessemer High dropped a 19-16 cage decision to Lowellville high, on Friday night in the Ohio town. The Cement City five held a 6-1 margin at the close of the opening period. By halftime, the localites sported an 11-7 edge. Lowellville rallied in the third stanza to grab a 15-13 lead which it held until the end.

In the prelim, the Lowellville Reserves drubbed the Bessemer Reserves 30-15.

On Wednesday night, Bessemer plays a double header first opposing Princeton and then the Alumni. The games were originally carded for Tuesday night.

The lineup:

Lowellville 19	Fg	F	Tp
Mathews f	3	0	6
Alterio f	0	0	0
Ondra f	3	0	6
Vulepich c	1	1	3
Susany g	0	0	0
Mariotti g	0	0	0
Rogers g	0	4	4
Harris g	0	0	0
Totals	7	5	19

Bessemer 16

Bessemer 16	Fg	F	Tp
Gallo f	1	0	2
Park f	0	1	3
Johnson c	0	0	2
Kertell c	0	0	0
McCree g	1	2	4
Summers g	0	1	1
Grubisa g	0	0	0
Totals	2	4	16

Referee: Tweedy.

Princeton High Is Winner, 24-23

Spearheaded by Ray, Princeton High defeated New Wilmington High's Reserves 24-23 Friday night.

Ray hit the curtains for 16 points.

Kaufman and Swindler divided honors for the losers.

The lineup:

Princeton 24	Fg	F	Tp
Ray f	7	2	16
Brickner f	1	0	2
Myers c	0	0	0
Black g	0	0	0
Shira g	0	0	0
Mursack g	1	0	2
Totals	11	2	24

New Wilmington 23

New Wilmington 23	Fg	F	Tp
McConnell f	1	0	2
Swindler f	2	1	5
Dunley f	2	0	4
Evans c	1	0	2
Kaufman g	1	0	2
Miller g	3	0	6
Green g	1	0	2
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HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS' LAND

John Kimbrough, Texas A & M

star is in New York, where he is expected to decide whether or not he will turn professional. This all depends, it is said, upon the amount he will be paid if he does change his athletic status.

Tommy Forte outpointed Pablo Dana, in 10 rounds in Philadelphia. They are bantamweights. At Tampa, Soldier Tommy Gomez, Tampa, kayodee Lee Silvers, New York, in one round. They are light heavyweights. In the semi-final to the Overlin-Belloise fight, Aaron Smith, Los Angeles, scored a TKO over Irish Eddie Dunne of New York, in three rounds. They are welterweights. Eddie O'Leary, Wilkes-Barre, outpointed Curley Nichols, New York, in six rounds in another bout on the same card. They are bantamweights.

Howard O'Dell, backfield coach of the U. of P., has been appointed freshman floor coach, succeeding Robert Freeman.

Krouse of Rochester, Pa., has been selected to captain Penn State's 1941 team.

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Hickory Trips Union Flippers

Scotland Laners Suffer Initial Loss Of 40-41 Season, 35-15

Union Township High suffered its first cage defeat of the 1940-41 seasons, a 35-15 setback administered by Hickory High, Friday night in Mercer County.

Boron accounted for eight of the Union markers. Gaus, Savoldi and Gebser featured for the winners.

The lineup:

Union	Fg	F	Tp
Dougherty, f	0	0	0
Lowers, f	0	0	0
Gonnet, c	0	0	0
Mescall, g	0	0	0
Boron, g	3	2	8
Kline, f	1	0	2
Presnar, f	0	0	0
Jaskolski, g	0	0	0
Reynolds, f	1	0	2
Totals	6	3	15

Hickory

Hickory	Fg.	F.	Tp.
Gaus, f	4	1	9
Savoldi, f	3	3	9
Gerber, c	3	3	9
Talwasky, g	2	2	6
Milburn, g	0	1	1
Ekelberger, f	0	1	1
Thompson, f	0	0	0
Woge, c	0	0	0
Buchanan, g	0	0	0

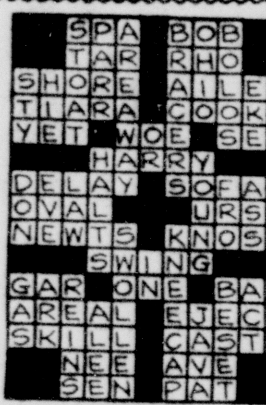
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ACROSS

1. Couch
5. Dolts
9. Plume
11. Ax wielder
12. Intention
13. A horse
15. Constellation
16. Spawn of fish
17. Wire
18. Measure
19. Dance
21. To become
24. Under-ground plant
28. Kind of race
29. Not fresh
30. Part of "to be"
31. Egyptian god
32. Public assemblies
35. Build
37. English illustrator
38. Blockheads
39. Quick
41. Underworld god
44. Steal
45. Head covering
48. Girl's name
49. Elongated fish
50. Malt beverage
51. Sham
53. Follow
55. Hit
56. Units of electrical resistance

DOWN

1. Cicatrix
2. A State
3. Smoke
4. Close to



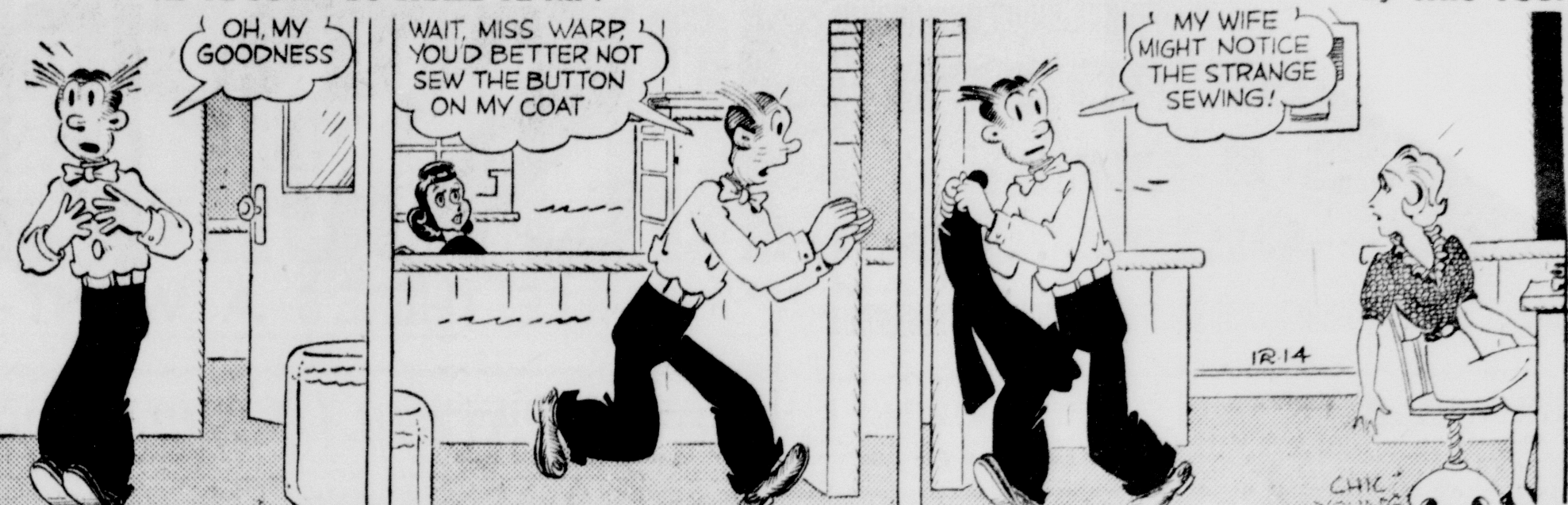
Yesterday's Answer

47. Golf implements
52. Aloft
54. Negative reply

"BLONDIE"

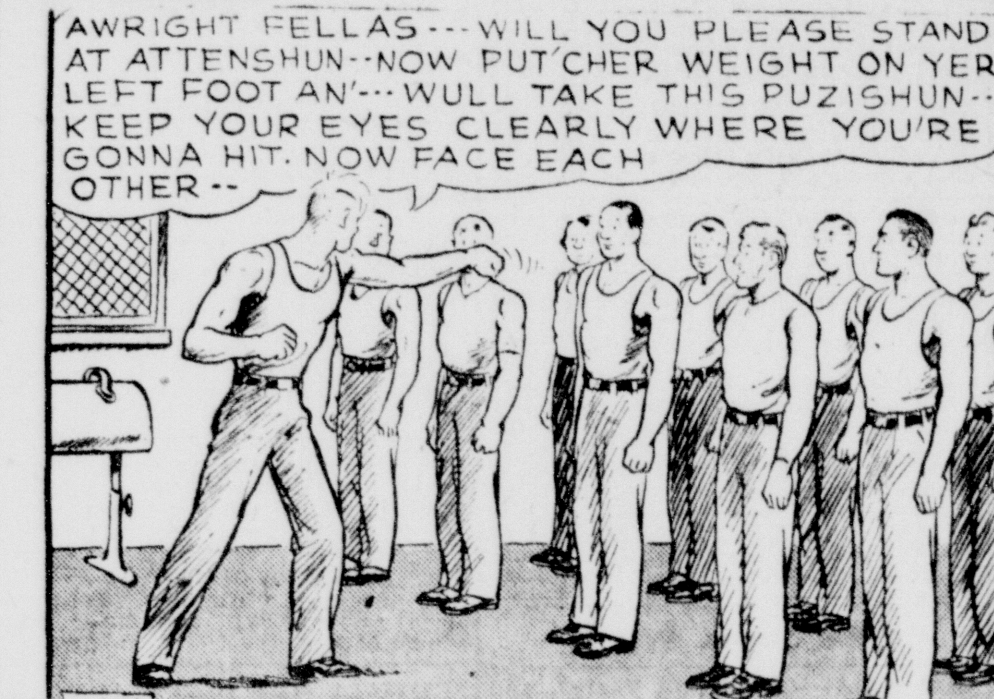


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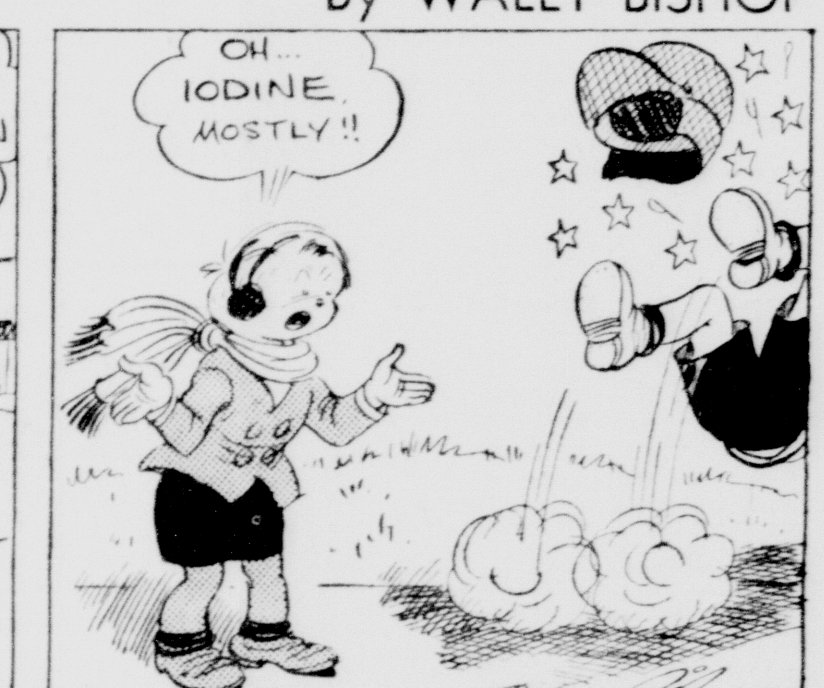


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STOCKS

Stock Market
Trend Listless

Turnover Around 350,000
Shares Is Reported At
Morning Session

By LESLIE GOULD
International News Service
Financial Writer
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The stock market was listless today with turnover around 350,000 shares.

Business news included a dip in production at some of the big steel-making centers due to repairs. Department store sales were up 5 per cent in the week.

Jones and Laughlin preferred provided one of the few features, running up 2 points. Most other steels were down but declines were small.

Amusement shares were in further demand. Paramounts hit a new high.

American Telephone moved up in the blue chip investment section. There was some pressure on building shares, where U. S. Gypsum lost a point.

Rails were irregular. Utilities quieted down after yesterday's flourish. Coppers were unchanged to lower. Aviation sagged. Elsewhere price changes were mixed and narrow.

STOCK PRICES
AT ONE P. M.

Furnished by Kay, Richards & Co., Union Trust Building

(Averages at 11 a. m.)

Industrial 132.31
Railroads 27.85
Utilities 20.15

A. T. & S. F. 17 1/2
A. M. Byers Co. 10 1/2
Amer. Roll Mills 15 1/2
Amer. Steel Fdry 28 1/2
Atlantic Rfg. 24 1/2
Amer. Loco. 16 1/2
Am. Rad. & Stan. S. 6 1/2
Allis Chalmers 36 1/2
Allied Chem. & Dye 16 1/2
A. T. & T. 167 1/2
Amer. Smelt. & Rfg. 45 1/2
Amer. Foreign Power 1 1/2
Anaconda Copper 27 1/2
Amer. Can. Co. 87 1/2
Am. Water W. & Co. 7 1/2
Amer. Tobacco Co. 69 1/2
Amer. Zinc Lead & Smelt. 7 1/2
Armour 4 1/2
B. & O. 3 1/2
Barnsdall Oil 8 1/2
Bendix Aviation 33 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 38 1/2
Baldwin Loco. 17 1/2
Bovet, Apple 13 1/2
Canadian Pacific 50 1/2
Caterpillar 42 1/2
Cesapeake & Ohio 46 1/2
Crucible Steel 106 1/2
Chrysler 77 1/2
Coca-Cola 106 1/2
Col. Gas & Elec. 4 1/2
Consolidated Edison 22 1/2
Consolidated Oil 5 1/2
Cont. Can. Co. 37 1/2
Cotton Motors 24 1/2
Comm. & Southern 10 1/2
Commercial Solvents 10 1/2
Curtiss Wright 9 1/2
Case J. I. 58 1/2
DuPont de Nemours 164 1/2
Elec. Auto. Lite. 35 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 4 1/2
Elec. Power & Light 4 1/2
Firestone T. & R. 15 1/2
General Northern 35 1/2
General Foods 50 1/2
General Electric 33 1/2
Glenn Martin 33 1/2
Goodrich Rubber 13 1/2
Goodyear Rubber 18 1/2
Gulf Oil 32 1/2
Howe Sound 37 1/2
Ind. Rayon 22 1/2
Inter Harvester 55 1/2
Inter Nickel Co. 24 1/2
Inspiration Copper 12 1/2
I. T. & T. 21 1/2
Johns-Manville 61 1/2
Kennicott Copper 35 1/2
Kroger Groc. 28 1/2
Libby-Owens-Ford 43 1/2
Liquid Carbonic 17 1/2
Lehigh Portland 23 1/2
Loft Candy 19 1/2
Lone Star Gas 9 1/2
Mid. Cont. Pet. 14 1/2
Mack Trucks Inc. 28 1/2
Montgomery Ward 27 1/2
McKeesport Tin Plate 8 1/2
N. Y. C. 13 1/2
Northern Pacific 6 1/2
Nash Kelvimeter 4 1/2
National Dairy 13 1/2
National Cash Reg. 13 1/2
North Amer. Aviation 17 1/2
Niagara Hudson Pwr. 10 1/2
Otis Steel 20 1/2
P. R. R. 10 1/2
Pennroad 21 1/2
Phillips Petrol. 41 1/2
Packard Motors 37 1/2
Pullman Co. 26 1/2
Pub. Serv. of N. J. 29 1/2
Phipps Dodge 34 1/2
R. K. O. 3 1/2
Republic Steel Corp. 25 1/2
Radio Corp. 12 1/2
Rem Rand 8 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B. 31 1/2
Seaboard Oil 13 1/2
Socoy Vacuum 8 1/2
Sperry Corp. 39 1/2
Std. Oil of N. J. 33 1/2
Std. Oil of Cal. 18 1/2
Std. Oil of Ind. 26 1/2
Studebaker 8 1/2
Std. Gas & Elec. 7 1/2
Standard Brands 20 1/2
Simpsons Co. 26 1/2
Texas Corp. 39 1/2
Timken Roll Bear 49 1/2
Tide Wat. O. 9 1/2
United Drug 4 1/2
U. S. R. & Imp. 9 1/2
U. S. Steel 70 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd. 128 1/2
U. S. Rubber 23 1/2
Union Car & Car 71 1/2
United Air 43 1/2
United Corp. 1 1/2

United Gas Imp.	9 1/2
Westinghouse Brk.	20 1/2
Warner Bros.	3 1/2
Westinghouse Elec.	103 1/2
Woolworth Co.	32 1/2
Yellow T. & Cab.	25 1/2
Young Sheet & T.	42

Egg Prices At
Butler Auction

White	High	Low	Avg.
Fancy large	33	30 1/2	31 1/2
Fancy medium	27 1/2	25	26 1/2
Extras large	31 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
Extras medium	26 1/2	25	25 1/2
Standard large	28 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Standard medium	23 1/2	22	22 1/2
Producers large	28 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Producers medium	23 1/2	22	22 1/2
Pulleys, select	24 1/2	22	22 1/2
Pulleys	23 1/2	21 1/2	22 1/2
Pee Wees	20 1/2	19 1/2	20 1/2
Checks	21	20	20 1/2
Checks, small	15	15	15

PRODUCE

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 14.—All poultry, butter and eggs are whole-sale prices to dealers. Supplies are limited.

Poultry steady; heavy hens, 18-19c; legions, 11-13c; leghorn broilers, 15-17c; old roosters, 11-12c; ducks, 13-15c; young turkeys, 18-20c; red broilers, 19-21c; rock broilers, 20-23c; geese, 12-14c; young turkey hens, 19-21c; old turkeys, 12c.

Butter steady; 92 score, 36c; 90 score, 36c; 89 score, 35c; 88 score, 35c.

Eggs steady; nearby current receipts, 29c; white standards, 30c; henry white extras, 32c; government graded eggs (prices to retailers, etc., in cases), white eggs U. S. extra large, 33-36c; medium, 29c; standard large, 31-33c; medium, 27-29c; U. S. trades, 25c.

Tomatoes steady; lug boxes Florida, 60c; 11-17c; old roosters, 11-12c; ducks, 13-15c; young turkeys, 18-20c; red broilers, 19-21c; rock broilers, 20-23c; geese, 12-14c; young turkey hens, 19-21c; old turkeys, 12c.

Cabbage, steady; old stock, 50-lb. sacks, 20-30c; new stock, 30-40c. Potatoes, steady; U. S. 1s, 100-lb. sacks, Maine Chippewas, Green Mt. and Katahdin, \$1.35-1.40; Long Island Chippewas, \$1.35-1.40; Penna. Russet rurals, \$1.10-1.15; Idaho, Russet Burbanks, \$1.85-1.90; 15-lb. sacks, Maine, Green Mts., 22-23c.

LIVESTOCK

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 14.—Live-

stock: Cattle 25, steady. Steers ch. 1150-1350, med-gd. 9-10c, com. 550-570; heifers med-gd. 9-10c, com. 550-570; cows med-gd. 550-650, canners and cutters 350-525; bulls gd.-ch. 675-8, com-med. 550-650.

Hogs 100, steady. 150-180 lbs. 625-640, 180-220 lbs. 640-660, 220-250 lbs. 640-660, 250-290 lbs. 615-640; 100-lb. steers, 5-575, roughs 5-550.

Sheep, steady. Ch. lambs 975-10, med-gd. 8-9, com. lambs 450-650, ewes 2-4, wethers 350-475.

Calves 24, steady. Gd.-ch. 1150-1250, med. 9-11, culls and com. 450-650.

Outdoor Christmas Lighting Contest

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Anticipating a rush of duties just before Christmas many persons are expected to send in their entries to Chamber of Commerce, indicating they will participate in the Annual Christmas Outdoor Lighting Contest which opens on December 23 and no entries will be received after midnight, December 22.

A great many residents of the community have already made plans for the placing of unusual illuminated decorations about their homes and the subject of the Contest is being generally discussed.

Contestants must agree to illuminate their display each evening from December 23rd to January 1st, inclusive. Impartial judges will judge the displays at a date specified later.

Miss Janice Evans Has Birthday Party

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—A pleasant event of Friday evening was a merry birthday party held in honor of the fourteenth anniversary of Miss Janice Evans at her home, in Beechwood boulevard.

Twelve guests and one out-of-town participant, Miss Hamilton, of New Castle, attended and enjoyed a variety of diverting games and contests with the attractive prizes going to Betty Luther, Jo Ann Nelson, Helen Marie Bowater and Delores Jessop.

Tempting refreshments were served at one table, with Christmas appointments being featured, by the honor guest's mother, Mrs. Ralph Evans.

Many nice gifts were received by the honoree.

ELKS BRIDGE SCORES

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Five tables of bridge were in play at the weekly party at the Elks club last night with winners being Mrs. H. J. Myers and Mrs. J. P. McDermott, 34 1/2 points, and second, Mrs. Floyd Thorpe and Mrs. L. A. Withers, 25 1/2 points.

ELLWOOD PERSONAL

Mrs. James Goodwill, who recently underwent an operation at the Jameson hospital, New Castle, was removed to his home, in First avenue last evening.

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Sunday Services In
Churches Of Ellwood

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Services have been arranged by the Ellwood and district churches for Sunday morning and evening as follows:

Trinity Lutheran
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Chester Caldwell, superintendent. Worship, 10:45 a. m., theme, "The Advent Message of John the Baptist." Luther League, 6:45 p. m., leader, Bob Meizer; vespers, 7:45 p. m., with the Luther league to explain Christmas customs and carols. Rev. F. H. Daubenspeck, pastor.

Zion Lutheran
Sunday school, 1:15 p. m., Edward Leonhardt, superintendent. Worship, 2:30 p. m., topic, "The Advent Message of John the Baptist." Rev. F. H. Daubenspeck, pastor.

Immanuel Reformed
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Russell Sittler, superintendent. Worship, 10:55 a. m., topic, "The Art of Giving." Church service, 7:45 p. m., theme, "Christmas Around the World." Rev. H. F. Loch, pastor.

First Baptist
Bible school, 9:45 a. m., John Sartwell, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., theme, "The Devil's to Blame." Junior and Senior Y. P. meetings, 6:45 p. m. Worship, 7:45 p. m., sermon, "A Wise Pharisee." Rev. B. G. Osterhouse, pastor.

First Presbyterian
Church school, 9:45 a. m., C. A. Paul, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., topic, "The Babe in the Manger." Y. P. society, 7:30 p. m. Rev. A. M. Stevenson, pastor.

First Methodist
Church school, 9:45 a. m., Paul C. Reynolds, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., topic, "How Christ Can Enrich Your Life." Epworth League, 6:45 p. m., Norbert L. Rossman, president. Worship, 7:45 p. m., sermon, "Why Jesus Came Into the World." Rev. T. H. Carson, pastor.

St. Luke's Episcopal
Stewardship Sunday. Morning prayer and sermon, 11:15 a. m., Rev. Charles J. Burton, pastor.

Gospel Tabernacle
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Paul H. Richardson, superintendent. Worship, 10:50 a. m., theme, "Contentment." Junior church, 2:30 p. m., in charge of Mrs. Wilbert Jessop. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m., theme, "Power." Rev. Wilmer Heffer, pastor.

Providence Baptist
Sunday school, 10 a. m., W. B. Fleeson, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor. Worship, 8 p. m., under the direction of the B.Y.P.U., Elwin Hazen, president.

Rev. J. R. Routledge, pastor.

Wurtemburg Methodist
Bible school, 10 a. m., Harold Boots, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., message by the pastor. Epworth League, 7 p. m., and worship, 7:45 p. m. Rev. Mary Johnson, pastor.

Slippery Rock Presbyterian
Sunday school, 10 a. m., Alfred Kennedy, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., theme, "God's Glorious Gift." No evening services. Rev. Thomas Berger, pastor.

Bell Memorial
Prayer meeting, 9:30 a. m., and Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Worship, 11 o'clock, topic, "The Mystery of Godliness." Junior and senior, C. E. society, 6:45 p. m. Worship, 7:45 p. m., topic, "The Sixth Column." Rev. J. E. Pringle, pastor.

United Presbyterian
Sunday school, 9:45 p. m., James Brown, superintendent. Worship, 11 a. m., theme, "The Logic of Events." Y.P.C.Y. societies, 7 p. m., and worship, 7:45 p. m., theme, "The Lord's Appointments." Rev. W. E. Minter, pastor.

Wurtemburg U. P.
Sunday school, 10 a. m., Charles Mehard, superintendent. Worship, 11 o'clock, sermon by pastor; Y. P. C. U. society, 7 p. m. Rev. J. E. Caughey, pastor.

Livly Church of God
Sunday school, 10 a. m., John Sockack, superintendent. At 11 o'clock, Rev. J. L. Updegraph, evangelist, will speak on the subject, "What Shall I Do Then With Jesus?" C. E. society, 7 p. m., and

evangelistic service, 8 p. m., topic, "Weighed and Found Wanting." The services will continue each evening during the coming week.

Park Gate Baptist
Sunday school, 10:30 a. m., Vincent Householder, superintendent. Young People's service, 6:45 p. m., with a message by John M. Houk. Worship, 7:45 p. m., theme, "The Dispensation of Promise." Rev. Robert Barr, pastor.

North Sewickley Presbyterian
Worship, 10 a. m., theme, "Break Up the Fallow Ground." Bible school, 11 a. m., Thomas P. Baird, superintendent. Junior Endeavor, 7 p. m., J. R. Clark, superintendent. C. E. Endeavor, 7 p. m. Rev. E. Bell, pastor.

Knox Presbyterian
Bible school, 10 a. m., George Davies, superintendent. Worship, 11:15 a. m., topic, "Break Up The Fallow Ground." Junior Endeavor, 7 p. m., Mrs. Abram Davies, superintendent; C. E. society, 8 p. m., topic, "The Lord's Prayer, A Bible Gun." Rev. Robert Bell, pastor.

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Mrs. J. P. Moyer
Is WCTU Hostess

Birthday Gift Presented To
Mrs. Margaret Kennedy,
Union Treasurer

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Members of the Ellwood W. C. T. U. were pleasantly entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Moyer, of Wayne avenue, for the Christmas meeting.

Mrs. Anna McKinley led the seasonal devotions, after which a Christmas story was given by Mrs. A. H. Gardner, a poem, by Mrs. Thomas Patterson and a prayer by Mrs. C. L. Barnhart.

A committee of three, Mrs. J. P. Moyer, Mrs. Margaret Kennedy and Mrs. Barnhart, was named to plan the new year's program. Mrs. Russell Anderson will send Christmas greetings from the union. It was decided to begin the temperance poster contest in the schools after the holidays.

Featuring the social period was the presentation of a lovely birthday gift to Mrs. Margaret Kennedy, who has served as treasurer of the Union for the past fifteen years.

The hostess was aided in serving a refreshing lunch by Mrs. Barnhart and her daughter Mrs. James Fitzgerald.

Members were invited to meet again on the second Friday of January at the home of Mrs. Frank McKim of Park avenue.

Orange Ladies Plan For Party

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Plans for the annual Christmas party to be held on Friday evening, December 27, with a gift exchange were made by members of the Orange Ladies Lodge at the regular meeting held last night. Mrs. Elva Hazen will be in charge of the entertainment and Mrs. Anna Gallaher, the refreshments.

A large assortment of groceries was received for the Christmas baskets and others may be left with the relief committee.

Cards and bingo followed for members and guests with the awards going to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rhodes, and Mr. and Mrs. William Kay, for 500; Mrs. Mary French and Mrs. Iva Garwig, for bingo; and the cake to Mrs. Hazel McHattie.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cunningham and her committee served a tempting lunch.

MINOR ACCIDENT

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Apparently losing control of the car he was driving, Carl Durbin, this city, crashed into a parked car on Lawrence avenue at 12:30 o'clock this morning and then crashed into the steps of a building at 805 Lawrence avenue, police said.

The car Durbin was driving belonged to Frank Alfonso, this city, and the parked car was owned by Steve Zona, this city. Both of the cars were damaged.

North Sewickley
Classes Assemble

Stewardship Play Presented
By Presbyterian Group
At Church

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Some fifty members of the Adult Bible classes of the North Sewickley Presbyterian church were agreeably entertained last evening at the church for the monthly combined meeting.

Mrs. Clifford Ruby led the devotional period after which a stewardship play, "Aunt Margaret's Tithe," was enacted by Mrs. Thomas Baird, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blinn, Donna Jane Blinn, Mrs. Wilda Staff and Kathie Hayes.

After the program, the Ever Ready class elected the following officers for the new year: Teacher, Mrs. Thomas Baird; assistant, Mrs. Charles Bowers; president, Mrs. Wilda Staff; vice president, Mrs. Cliff Ruby; secretary, Mrs. Mabel McKinley; assistant Mrs. Jay McDonald; treasurer, Miss Mary Baxter and assistant, Mrs. Clem Hayes.

Attractive gifts were exchanged by the adults and children after which the group was seated at long tables featuring colorful Christmas suggestions and served a refreshing lunch by Mrs. Jay McDonald and her committee.

Last Quarter Rally Wins Game For Shelby

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—In a magnificent fourth quarter rally, the Shelby Socials nosed out the New Brighton G. O. F. by the score of 32 to 26 in the last game last night at the local court.

The Patterson men trailed thru-out the game and with only three minutes left staged a great comeback. "Rip" Collins, former Pitt player, started the rally when he tied the score 26-26 by shooting a foul and then added a basket. Walt Robuck and Joe Greco added good shots to win the game. Greco was top scorer.

In a very close, exciting preliminary contest, the Social "B" team lost to the Allegheny Collegiate by a score of 40 to 38. Walter Robuck was the game's scoring star with 22 points gained from eight baskets and six free shots, while Morovich was the leading scorer for the winners with seven double deckers.

A practice of the Shelby teams is called for Monday night at 7 o'clock by Coach George Patterson.

Doremus Class Will Sponsor New Scout Unit

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—With pleasing hospitality, Mrs. L. H. Wehman entertained twenty-two members of the Doremus class of the First Baptist church at a turkey dinner last evening at her home, in Ewing Park.

The delectable meal was served to 22 members amidst clever Christmas appointments.

During the evening silent palms were revealed and new ones selected for the approaching year. The class voted to send a gift of money to the Baptist Orphanage at Castle Shannon and to sponsor a new Girl Scout troop to be known as Number Eight. Mrs. L. H. Wehman, Mrs. Orin Barkley and Mrs. Garfield Thomas were named as the sponsoring committee for the troop.

The class will meet again on Friday, December 27, at the home of Mrs. John Sartwell of Fourth St.

Clayton Miesel Goes To Gary

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Clayton Miesel, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Miesel, of Line avenue, left last evening by train from Pittsburgh for Gary, Ind., where he will make his future home.

He has been employed for several years at the Carnegie-Illinois Steel company in Pittsburgh and has been transferred to the Gary Steel mills.

On Saturday, January 4, he will be married to Miss June Curtis, of Gary, formerly of Pittsburgh. Mrs. Lewis Miesel and Clayton Miesel, of this city, accompanied him to Pittsburgh last evening.

BETHANY MEMBERS MEET AT CHURCH

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Fifteen members of the Bethany class of the First Christian church assembled at the church last evening for an enjoyable Christmas party.

Miss Margaret Gordon was in charge of the affair which featured various diversions and a gift exchange. In serving a tasty lunch, Miss Gordon was aided by Mrs. Florence Richards and Mrs. Anna Price.

The class will meet again on Thursday, December 9, at the church.

MISSION SOCIETY

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 14.—Members of the Women's Missionary society of the First Church of God were pleasantly entertained last evening at the home of Mrs. E. I. Everhart in Elport.

Mrs. Everhart led the devotions after which sewing was the pastime. Tempting refreshments were served by the hostess after which members departed to meet again on the second Friday of January.

SPORTS WORLD
RAMBLINGS

Breezy bits from the sports world: Eddie Noga, the south side athlete, has been tagged as one of the most talented cagers at Alliance college. The local sophomore, who is an 18-year-old 5 feet 9-inch flipper, has been categorized as a "smooth and efficient floorman." He plays forward. Noga also saw considerable action on Alliance's grid force during the 40 season.

Slippery Rock's roster is dotted with Lawrence counties. "Fuz" Eagleson, who is vying for a forward berth, hails from New Wilmington; Tom Carey, a fine prospect for one of the sentinel posts, is an ex-New Castle High product; Jimmy Dart, a popular New Castle athlete, hopes to cop one of the forward openings and tall Alex "Chin-kie" Dutkin, another New Castle High luminary, is out to nail a forward assignment.

Coach Grover Washbaugh, head man at Westminster college, ordered new steel backboards placed in the Titan gymnasium to make basket shooting more scientific and to enable onlookers to get a better view from behind the hoops. If the Alderson-Broadus clash can be used as a criterion, the Westminster flippers appeared ultra scientific in downing the Philippi W. Va. sharpshooters.

No football system has been more publicized than Stanford's vaunted "T" formation. The rave notices have caused a few readers of this

daily trivia to pen a little note asking us to explain the mechanism of the system. Thanks to Whitley Martin, the crack Manhattan scribe, we're able to give a written play-by-play account of the "T" code.

The quarterback stands behind the center and the other three backs line up in a row behind him; the four players and the line thus form a "T." The quarterback handles the ball on practically every play. The system calls for lightning like opening plays, with the ball totter getting through the line of scrimmage on his own. The system offers an infinite list of deceptive plays.

Stanford's Clark Shaughnessy, for instance, has added feints, flanks, fades and man-in-motions which have supplied a touch of magic. The system isn't worth a "jit" without a capable quarterback. In passing, it might be added that because of Stanford's success with the "T" formation, several other colleges plan adopting the formula. The system is an old one.

"Red" Grange, who was a fair country football player in his days, firmly believes that Tommy Harmon will play pro football. Grange points out that "Harmon may now say no. But when the 41 season rolls around he'll get the itch." The play-for-pay sport was kind to famous No. 77. Grange, playing for a percentage of the gate, netted \$105

Varied Combinations In 1941 License Tags

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—F. B. Barnath, director of travel bureaus of the Automobile Club of New York has compiled a list of color combinations for 1941 license plates as announced by the states, the Canadian provinces and Mexico. The list follows:

State—Color Scheme
Alabama—Black on yellow
Arizona—Black on copper
Arkansas—Green on aluminum
California—Orange on black
Colorado—Yellow on black
Connecticut—Black on aluminum
Delaware—Gold on blue
District of Columbia—Chrome yellow on black
Florida—Red on white
Georgia—Orange yellow on dark blue
Idaho—Black on yellow
Illinois—Yellow on black
Indiana—White on blue
Iowa—Black on white
Kansas—Gold on red
Kentucky—Black on aluminum
Louisiana—Black on white
Maine—Red on aluminum
Maryland—Black on aluminum
Massachusetts—White on green
Michigan (full year)—White on maroon
Michigan (half year)—Maroon on white
Minnesota—Black on aluminum
Mississippi—White on black
Missouri—White on black
Montana—Blue on white
Nebraska—Dark blue on orange
Nevada—Blue on silver
New Hampshire—Green on white
New Jersey—White on black
New Mexico—Red on yellow
New York—Black on orange
North Carolina—Gold on black
North Dakota—Black on orange
Ohio—White on maroon
Oklahoma—White on black
Oregon—White on green
Pennsylvania—Golden yellow on ultra marine blue
Rhode Island—Black on white
South Carolina—Black on yellow
South Dakota—Yellow on black
Tennessee—White on black
Texas—Gold on black
Utah—White on black
Vermont—White on dark blue
Virginia—White on black
Washington—White on green

West Virginia (1940-1941)—Black on yellow
West Virginia (1941-1942)—National yellow on black
Wisconsin—Black on federal yellow
Wyoming—Red on white
Territories and Possessions
Alaska—White on green
Canal Zone—Black on orange
Hawaii—Cardinal red on rustic gray
Philippines—Gold on celestial blue
Puerto Rico—Black on tan and blue
Provinces of Canada
Alberta—White on black
British Columbia—Blue on white
Manitoba—Black on yellow
New Brunswick—Cream on coffee brown
Nova Scotia—Black on dark ivory
Ontario—Green on white
Prince Edward Island—Navy blue on orange
Quebec—White on green
Saskatchewan—White on vermilion
Mexico
Bright Yellow on Orange

Italian Supplies Fall To British In Egyptian War

(International News Service)
LONDON, Dec. 14.—Britain's army, in its smash westward through the Egyptian desert, has captured all the supplies of food and oil accumulated by the Italians since their invasion of Egypt more than three months ago, Reuters correspondent with the army at the front cabled today.
A total of five Italian divisions now have been chased out of their fortified positions, the correspondent said.
Aerial reconnaissance shows that large fires are raging in Sollum, the last Italian-held base in northwestern Egypt, and Fascist motorized columns are hurriedly retreating towards Tobruk in Libya.
Units of the Italian tenth army were sighted leaving Bardia, near the Egyptian frontier, in the direction of Tobruk, still farther west in Libya, the correspondent said.
Most of the Italian prisoners taken so far appear to be numbed and bewildered, and entirely ignorant of the Italian reverses in Greece, he said.

Elm Street Y. W.

Members of the Joy Givers club met in the Elm street Y. W. C. A. on Thursday and plans were made for the joint party to be held at the Central Y. W. C. A. at 8:30 p. m. on Sunday, December 15, the club will meet at the Central Y. W. C. A. to help with the kiddies Christmas party. On next Thursday there will be a special meeting of the club in the Elm street Y. W. C. A.

DAILY DOZEN

(From the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania)

More people attend basketball than any other sport.
Basketball may be played inside but it is not insipid.
In fact, it is an especially strenuous game.
It requires speed, strength, endurance, eyesight and teamwork.
There are but five men on a team—hence the speed.
Each player has his individual adversary—so strength is needed.
There is little rest for any player, which calls for endurance.
Good eyesight is needed to watch teammates and toss baskets.
Unselfishness of each player is demanded, calling for teamwork.
Basketball is one of the fastest games played in competition.
One has to be in good condition in order to play it.
All should receive a physical examination before trying for the team.

Plan Speeding Up For Holiday Mail

New Method To Be Tried To Handle Christmas Mail In Local Post Office

Preparations are being made at the local post office for still greater speeding up of the handling and dispatching of Christmas mail. With less than two weeks until Christmas the rush will soon make itself felt at the post office. One splendid arrangement is a "channel" which has been constructed by Custodian George Mitchell and his aides. This channel will be used to convey surplus letter mail, from the lobby through the bulk window directly to the cancelling or stamping machine, which will result in a continuous stream of letters for distribution by the clerks.

Heretofore, during the Christmas rush, surplus letters were collected in the lobby and packed in large "bin" baskets and carried into the mailing room for cancellation.
The local post office officials are optimistic about this arrangement, and ask for the cooperation of the public, by separating their unsealed third class mail, containing Christmas cards, from first class letters, when they hand them in at the bulk window, also separate those for city delivery from those going out of town. The only writing permitted within an unsealed envelope to be mailed as third class matter for one cent and a half, is the name of the sender, and a short greeting.

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WILLIAM L. COX GETS STATE JOB

(International News Service)
HARRISBURG, Dec. 14.—Eleven appointments and 19 dismissals in the department of highways were announced Friday by Secretary I. Lamont Hughes. Appointments included:
Lawrence County—William L. Cox, New Castle, instrument man, \$1,140.

Battle Looms Over Cash Aid For Britain

By JACK VINCENT
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Pleas of Republicans and Democrats for outright cash aid to Great Britain in its war against Germany were met today by a new warning from senate anti-interventionists that they would wage a fight to the finish against money for the embattled country.
Alfred M. Landon, the 1936 G. O. P. presidential nominee, and Secretary of Interior Ickes put forward the suggestions that the United States give Britain all the cash it needs in its war efforts.
Immediately, however, Sen. Clark (D) Mo. served notice that: "Any move to give cash to Britain will be fought to a finish in the senate."
Commenting on the pleas of Landon and Ickes, Clark cryptically said: "It's not surprising. It's fairly characteristic of both of them." Ickes stated that he was in favor of giving all assistance possible to England short of sending men abroad. And that, he said flatly, includes cash and credits.
Clark claimed that the United States would never get a cent back from England on any loan.
"We haven't on previous loans," Ickes declared. "The English still owe us \$5,000,000,000 from the last war. They never had any intention of paying it back."

Some "Don'ts" From Traffic Director

Traffic Commissioner Thomas Jones today issued some "Don'ts" in view of the presence of the holiday season. They're for motorists and pedestrians. They follow:
Don't cross a street except when the green light shows.
Don't leave your automobile via the left door.
Don't carry so many bundles they block vision of where you are walking.
Don't permit children of tender age to run free in the downtown district.
Don't drive a car across a center line in executing a turn around a corner.
Don't depend upon the other fellow to avoid an accident.
Don't sound your horn because traffic is congested. Police are nearby and will unravel it quickly.
Don't walk on the wrong side of the sidewalk. This, too, congests the walkers' parade during a holiday gift gazing season.

EXAMINE MILK

Milk sold in the city of New Castle was tested by City Bacteriologist Dr. W. L. Steen during November. Twenty-six tests were made. No adverse reports were made to council.



DELAY IN CALL FOR DRAFTEES

Probably Only 20,000 Or 30,000 To Be Called Into Service During January

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Instead of the 150,000 draftees which were to have been called up during January, only some 20,000 or 30,000 will actually be summoned before the end of the month, informed army sources said today.
This means that only a small percentage of the 240,000 one year trainees which were scheduled for induction between November and January 15, will actually be in uniform, it was pointed out.
Original plans called for 90,000 in November and December but this was cut to 20,000 and latest army estimates are that not even the number have actually been inducted in the first contingent.
The new drastic downward revision of the original schedule, officers said, is due to delays in the construction of army housing units—the announced postponement in federalization of some 96,000 national guardsmen.

Cross Streets Only At Intersections

"Pedestrians invite spending Christmas day in a hospital by crossing streets, other than at intersections," Traffic Commissioner Thomas Jones asserted today.
It is contrary to law to cross a street excepting at an intersection and then only when the "walker" has the green light," Jones added.
He issued the foregoing bulletin today in view of the holiday season having brought out increased shoppers.

ENON VALLEY

Mrs. Charles Madden was a Beaver Falls visitor on Monday.
Thomas McMullen visited relatives in Sewickley on Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNeese were New Castle visitors on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Braden were visitors in Beaver Valley, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Klich were New Castle shoppers on Tuesday.
Mrs. Florence Booth visited relatives in Beaver Falls, on Monday.
J. O. Fischer visited relatives and friends in New Castle on Friday.
Mrs. H. H. Hartford of Conway, visited relatives here a few days this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Linsey of Columbiana, O. visited friends here on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Patterson were East Palestine visitors Tuesday evening.
Mrs. Cecil Harvey, Mrs. F. Gorby and daughter of East Palestine, visited relatives here on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lees spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Arbuckle in Ambidge.
Frank Simpson of Warren, Ohio, spent a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madden.
Miss Sarah Belle McNeese returned home from the Jameson Memorial hospital, Monday and is doing very nicely.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kesel and daughter of Pittsburgh, visited at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Mrs. G. W. Kesel.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lees and Florence Booth visited at the home of Mrs. Edith Stevens in Columbiana on Friday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams and daughter Shirley of Perry Highway spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Laura Zech.

EDENBURG

CHURCH NEWS
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hofmeister of the north side proved delightful entertainers Wednesday evening when they entertained the Loyal Ladies and Loyal Men's Bible classes of the Christian church in their home Christmas party in their home.
After the devotional period which was in charge of Mrs. Bell Stanley, gifts were presented to Mrs. Clarence Jones, pianist, Rev. Vaughn and Frank Hofmeister. The evening was enjoyed playing games. A later feature was an oyster dinner served by Mrs. Hofmeister and daughter, Dorothy. Before going home members of the classes exchanged gifts.
Mrs. Elton Knofsker entertained members of the Women's Missionary society of the Christian church at her home on Erie street. At noon a delicious tureen dinner was enjoyed. Mrs. Belle Stanley had charge of the program. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Priscilla Stanley with Mrs. Belle Stanley, co-hostess.

Kids On Christmas Seals Will Appear At Service Clubs

Six Junior High School Students To Fill Roll Of Seal Triplets

Dramatization of this year's "Singing Christmas Seals," will be carried out next week by six junior high school students, who working in two groups will represent the two boys and a girl who are pictured on the seal.
According to Andrew Dodds, chairman of the Lawrence County Tuberculosis Society Christmas Seal Campaign, the youngsters will be attired in costumes similar to those shown on the seals. The boys and girls selected to carry out this program have been selected for their singing ability as well as their similarity to the "every day kids" pictured.
Ben Franklin Junior High and George Washington Junior High schools are cooperating in the venture. The trio from Ben Franklin will sing carols at the Lions club Tuesday; Kiwanis club Wednesday; and at Rotary a week from Monday. The Washington group will sing at the Women's club, Monday afternoon.
In addition, both groups will probably be featured in carol singing programs in the downtown stores a few days prior to Christmas.

HILLSVILLE

Mrs. Russell Smith, of Alliance, O. is visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fisher and Mrs. John Baird spent Tuesday visiting in New Castle.

Mrs. Lawrence Kiminkinen and Miss Donna Gilmore spent Tuesday visiting in New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Colick of Carbon spent Wednesday with the latter's parents at Bessemer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nesbitt of New Castle spent Sunday visiting at the latter's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Best of New Brighton spent the week end visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stoffer and family of Lowellville spent Sunday visiting with the latter's parents here.

Raymond Garber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Garber is enjoying a furlough from the U. S. Army at his home here.

Joe Colick and Mike Spear of Carbon have returned home from Emporium where they were both successful in getting a deer.

Mrs. Russell Donaldson, Mrs. Gertrude Kelly of Bessemer, Mrs. Jennie Harmon of Mahoningtown, were calling on friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Anna List and son Arthur returned home on Wednesday night from the northern part of the state where they were both successful in bagging deer.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Florence Paden. A sumptuous dinner was served at noon.

The ladies of Carbon have formed a First Aid class and are meeting every Monday night in the club rooms at Carbon, where they are having able instructors.

Postmaster William R. Hanna, during the Christmas rush at the post office, desires the cooperation of the rural patrons. He asks that they purchase stamps from their rural carrier, ahead of time, and stamp their mail before putting it in their mail-box to be picked up by the carrier.

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BOY SCOUTS OF NEW CASTLE

Captain Mitchell's Son In Alabama

Captain George F. Mitchell of Battery F, has received a letter from his son George F. Jr., who is in the U. S. Air Service and stationed at Maxwell Field, Alabama.

George Jr. states that he is up at 5:30 a. m. and in bed at 9:40, and that it is winter there at night, and summer (hot) in the daytime. He says the boys have been issued swell uniforms, and are getting splendid "eats." Further, he states that he has passed his examination satisfactorily. His first choice in the service is with the radio unit, second, air photography, and third, as an air corps mechanic.

At their encampment location, there are a mass of bombing and training planes in the air from 5:30 in the morning to 10:00 at night, roaring all the time.

There were only 13 cases of contagion during the month of November, a city health report covering that period shows.

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EXTRA CARS FOR HOLIDAY SHOPPERS

Sufficient cars to furnish good transportation for shoppers will be put into operation Monday, according to T. C. Moore, superintendent of the local street car company, he announced today.

ONE PERMIT TO HAUL

One person paid 25 cents for the privilege of hauling rubbish here in November.

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